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Notice is hereby given that Henry James Bristol, of the town of Napanee, in the County of Lennox and Addington, in the Province of Ontario, returned soldier, will apply to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof, for a Bill of Divorce from his wife, Minnie Jean Bristol, whose last known address was Toronto, Ont., on the ground of adultery.

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Dated at Napanee, Province Ontario, June 8th, 1921. 29-43

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NAPANEE'S NIGHT CONSTABLE FOULLY MURDERED

Richard A. Beard Shot in Attempting to Arrest Three Burglars.

NO TRACE AS YET FOUND OF THE MURDERERS

J. W. Robinson's Car Stolen.

On Sunday morning, about one o'clock, Mrs. Bova, on going upstairs over their store to retire, heard noises in the alley-way to the rear of their store, next to Smith's jewellery store, and on looking out thought the men were engaged in trying to break into Smith's jewellery store through a window looking out into the alleyway. Mrs. Bova called her husband who was still in the front store and asked him to notify the night constable. Mr. Bova found Mr. Beard at the Royal Hotel, just across the street, and he at once started to investigate. Hugh Duncan and Mr. Benj. Luffman were also in front of the hotel, and Mr. Beard asked Mr. Luffman to watch the entrance to the back yard leading to Dundas street, opposite the hotel. Mr. Duncan accompanied Mr. Beard to the John street entrance to the yard, and both entered. Constable Beard flashed his light into the alley, which is an unusually dark one, and discovered three men, and ordered them to throw up their hands. According to Mr. Duncan, one of the men had a gun, or a stick, in his hand, and raised it. Mr. Beard stepped back and reached for his revolver, while Mr. Duncan beat a hasty retreat, and had just reached the corner when he heard a shot fired. In the meantime Mr. Luffman had gone back to the hotel for his revolver, and was on his way to watch the Dundas street entrance when he too heard the shot and hurried to the John street entrance and on going into the alley found Mr. Beard lying on the ground apparently dead.

While Mr. Luffman was going around the corner three men dashed out of the Dundas street entrance and ran east on Dundas street, and south around the corner of Dundas and East streets.

The bullet which killed Mr. Beard was evidently fired at close range from a 30 calibre rifle, and entered his breast near the heart, passed completely through the body and was found imbedded in the inside window casing of Bova's store, after punching a hole in the window.

Mr. Luffman was the first person to reach Mr. Beard, after the shooting, and found him lying on his face with his revolver still in his hand, and his flashlight lying beside him still burning. Mr. Luffman turned him over to see if he was still living, and at once notified Chief Barrett and Dr. J. P. Vrooman.

Within five minutes Chief Barrett was on the scene and ordered the fire bell rung to alarm the citizens and secure help to make an immediate effort to capture the desperados.

A large number of people collected in a few minutes and measures were at once taken and the town and district was scoured to find the culprits.

Word was sent to Kingston, Belleville, and along the line, but as no one had been left by the departure of the men the police have very little to work on.

Chief Barrett asked help from the Provincial Police and Provincial Constable Ward, of Belleville, immediately responded and proceeded to Kingston with Chief Barrett.

James J. Graham, former chief of police of Napanee, who was in Kingston also immediately came to Napanee to render Chief Barrett any assistance possible.

Two military kit bags remain in the hands of the police, which were found at the back door of the Smith jewellery store, and we doubtless provided by the robbers to carry away their expected loot.

That robbery of the Smith store was the evident intention of the robbers is shown by finger prints and marks on the rear window of the store, and a canvas was immediately taken from the window until an expert came from Ottawa and secured an imprint of them.

The finger prints found on the glass taken from Mr. Robinson's garage were also examined, and will be compared with the imprints at Smith's. It will be a very difficult job as the imprints at Smith's are very poor. Excellent imprints were secured at Robinson's.

Not in many years have the citizens of Napanee been so stirred up as over the shooting of Constable Beard, and he has been the only topic heard on the streets, with the universal hope that the miscreants may be brought to justice.

WM. STIFFLEY ARRESTED

William Stiffley, an American, who is living with the Johnston family on Roblin hill, was arrested shortly after the shooting. He had an empty shell corresponding in size to the bullet which killed Mr. Beard. He claims he found the shell on Dundas street. Stiffley appeared before Justice of the Peace E. S. Lapum on Monday morning and was remanded for eight days on a vagrancy charge.

J. W. ROBINSON'S CAR STOLEN

About eleven o'clock Sunday morning Mr. J. W. Robinson reported the theft of his Willys-Knight car, No. 145-096, which was stolen from his garage near his home sometime during the night. The thieves secured entrance to the garage by neatly removing a pane of glass from the door without breaking it, and the car was taken without alarming anyone. It is thought that Mr. Robinson's car was used by the murders of Constable Beard in making their escape.

THE INQUEST

The remains of Constable Beard were taken to the undertaking rooms of Messrs. Ming & Canniff, and Coroner Dr. Vrooman summoned a coroner's jury and opened an inquest. The jurors viewed the remains, and the corpse released to the body to the family and they were taken to the family residence on East street, where the painful duty of informing Mrs. Beard of the tragic occurrance was performed by Rev. Dr. Shorey and Dr. Cowan.

The inquest was resumed at seven o'clock on Monday evening.

Mrs. Rosa Bova was the first witness. She stated that she was cleaning up the store about one o'clock on Sunday morning. Her husband threw out some rubbish to the back yard and on coming in told her he saw three men in the yard. She told him to lock the door. Witness' husband advised her to go upstairs. She went upstairs and put on a light in the front room. She then went to a rear window and thought she could not see anything she heard a sound as if someone were using a tool on a window or door. She then went to the front and told her husband what she had heard. He went across to the Royal Hotel and summoned the night constable. Going again to the rear end of her store she heard an exclamation and the sound of running feet following by a shot, and then a groan. She then came down stairs by the front way and went to Smith's corner where she found her husband and Duncan. Her husband told her he thought the night constable had been shot and she went with him and saw the body of the night constable lying just at the rear corner of Ming's building.

Vincent Bova gave evidence that at a quarter to one he was cleaning up the store and went to the back door to throw out rubbish and saw three men at the rear of Smith's jewellery store, between the door and window. On second trip to the back door he still saw the three men. Closing the store he went outside in front and sat down. His wife came down to him that the men in the yard were doing something. He crossed to the Royal Hotel and told Mr. Beard the men were in the yard. Mr. Beard said, "come on and we will see what's up." Mr. Beard, himself, and Duncan, went to the alleyway on John street. He thought Mr. Beard entered the alleyway, and when in a little distance, saw Mr. Beard's flashlight and revolver. Duncan was behind Mr. Beard. Saw a man pointing something at Mr. Beard, and Duncan and he started for the Royal Hotel to secure a gun or something to help. When nearly Smith's corner they heard a shot, and he saw a man come out of the alley next to Oliver's grocery, started to come towards him, pointing a gun. He dodged into Smith's door. The man then ran east. Could not describe man or his clothing as was too far away. Not more than three minutes elapsed between the time of the shot and the appearance of the man on Dundas street.

Dr. Miller, Kingston, Professor of Pathology in Queen's University, gave evidence as to the post mortem examination describing in medical terms the injuries received by deceased by the passage of a bullet through the body which caused his death—probably from a rifle. Death was instantaneous.

Dr. Simpson corroborated Dr. Miller's testimony in every particular.

Mr. Benj. Luffman, of the Royal Hotel, stated that at a quarter to one he was sitting outside the hotel door. In a few minutes Mr. Duncan joined him. Mr. Beard came to the hotel and went inside to fix his boots. Mr. Bova came across the road and told Mr. Beard that three men were in the back yard. Mr. Beard and Mr. Duncan went around Smith's corner while witness crossed the road to Davis & Coates' gangway. Went up the gangway about eighteen feet. Heard a shuffling on John street. Rang back as far as Smith's doorway. Heard a shot. Met Duncan, who said, Mr. Beard had got one of them. Then went further along towards John street. Turned around and saw three men running east on Dundas street. Crossed to the hotel to get his gun and saw the men go around the south corner of Dundas and East streets. Went upstairs and got his gun. Came outside and asked Duncan if Dick (Mr. Beard) had come out of the gangway. Went to the office. Came outside and again asked the same question. Then ran around corner and into gangway. Found Mr. Beard lying on his face, arms stretched out, his light lying on the ground and still burning. Turned Mr. Beard over and saw blood on his face and chest. Went back to the hotel and called up the Chief and Dr. Vooman. Also asked central to ring fire alarm. Went back to body and remained there until arrival of Chief Barrett.

Dr. J. P. Vrooman, who in company with the coroner, examined the body after it had been removed to the undertaking rooms, gave evidence as to cause of death.

Mr. Hugh Duncan stated that he was in front of the Royal Hotel. Mr. Beard came to the hotel and entered. Mr. Beard and Mr. Luffman came out again and Mr. Bova came across the road and told Mr. Beard someone was in the back yard. Went with Mr. Bead and Mr. Bova to alleyway back of Smith's store. Mr. Beard entered the alleyway a short distance and flashed his light an instant. Mr. Beard was then pushed and jumped back, reaching his hand to his hip. Saw three men standing near the Smith window. When Mr. Beard jumped back witness backed up against the wall. Had an impression in the instant he saw the men that they were medium sized young men. Beard started up the alleyway and witness started around the Smith corner toward the Dundas street alleyway. Heard shot fired when he had reached the corner. Met Luffman at about the same time, and remarked to him that, "Uncle had got one." Was under impression that the report was from Mr. Beard's gun. Was with Mr. Luffman until body was found. Saw no men running away. When he saw the men one of them had something in his hand. Might have been a gun.

Dr. E. Ming, of the firm of Ming & Handby, undertakers, gave corroborative evidence as to holes in body and clothing.

Chief Barrett gave evidence as to seeing body and satisfying himself that the man was dead. Sent out warnings and made search for men. Examined locality with Provincial Officer Ward. Found bullet imbedded in casing on inside of Bova's window and found shell in yard in direct line from window and body. Police inquiries are not yet concluded.

Beard's gun was produced, fully loaded.

The inquest was then adjourned for two weeks, when further police evidence will be given.

The jury called were: Messrs. J. S. Ham, Herbert Daly, C. A. Anderson, Wm. Light, P. Gleeson, W. A. Templeton, J. H. S. Derry, Elmer Miller, and J. E. Robinson, foreman.

CAMDEN EAST

P. J. Sherlock, wife and two sons, were home visiting their mother, Mrs. Sherlock. Mr. Sherlock was an old Camden East boy. He is telegraph operator at Killarney, Man.

Mr. Thomson, manager of The Standard Bank here, went to Athens to relieve the agent there for two weeks. He will then be transferred to another branch. All are sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Thomson, as they have been a help in many ways. Mr. Joyce, Deseronto, is looking after The Standard Bank here.

Beat this if you can: One of our citizens had twenty-five hens and chickens the first of June. He killed one a week since and boasts of having the same number now as when he started.

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BATH

Mrs. Wilfred Calver, who has been seriously ill in the Hotel Dieu, Kingston, is slightly improved.

Mrs. James Dargavel and children, Rock Mills, who have been visiting at Robert Stevenson's, have returned home.

W. E. Toplif, Odessa, and Mr. and Mrs. David Hicks, Morven, spent Sunday at Robt. Stevenson's.

Miss Cooper, Orange, N.J., is visiting at Dr. H. S. Northmore's.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Brown, also Dr. Douglas, Newark, N. J., are spending some time here.

Mr. and Mrs. Minorgan, Parham, spent the week-end at H. D. Wemp's.

Mrs. William Calver is visiting friends at Perth Road.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Murray, of Martintown, Ont., are at G. W. Cuppage's.

Mr. and Mrs. Brackenbury and children, who have been spending the summer at Chas. Burley's, returned home last week. They were accompanied by Miss Beatrice Burley for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Cowdy, Harrowsmith, are at Rev. A. R. Walsh's.

DENBIGH

Mr. George Ball and the Misses Gladys Stein and Freda Ball, who have attended summer school at Sharbot Lake, and Miss Madeline Stein, who has been away on a visit to her cousin, Mrs. Robert Jackson, of Hinchinbrook, have arrived home again. So have Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lockwood and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Pennock, who made a motor trip to Hinchinbrook and other places partly on business and part of the time visiting old friends and relatives.

Mr. Wagner, of Saratoga, N.Y., who spent a couple of weeks here visiting his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. Glaser, has returned to his home and business in the United States.

Mr. Fred Linke, of Kitchener, who was for a week a welcome guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Fritsch, has also returned to the city.

Reinhardt Fritsch and family left for Webb, Sask., to look after his real estate there, and to pay an extended visit to his brothers, Otto and Emil, who are residing and own valuable estates there. His neighbor, Mr. Otto Kleim, is attending to his live stock and home farm work during their stay in the west.

Rev. T. McNaughton conducted divine services in the Methodist church last Sunday evening.

S. Mountney took his son Wilfred to the Ontario hospital at Orillia.

H. M. Grenadier Guards Band of Montreal, will be one of the features of th Canadian National Exhibition.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Miss Irene French spent a week at her grandmother's, Mrs. Washington's, Napanee.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Brandon, of Morven, took dinner Sunday at Mr. Fred Pringle's.

Mrs. A. Bowen spent the week-end at her brother's, Mr. William Doyle, Bath.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sills and Misses Marion and Marjorie, took tea Sunday at Mr. Merle Sills'.

Mrs. Huffman, Deseronto, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. Lasher.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Snider, and two children, of Detroit, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Smith and other relatives.

Mr. I. B. Sills accompanied Messrs. Seth and Oliver Robinson home to Detroit for a visit.

Mrs. Will. Bowen spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Nash, Point Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Will. McGarvey, Watertown, are visiting their neice, Mrs. Earl Silsbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Orton Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Robertson, Sillsville, visited Sunday at Roy Robinson's.

Mrs. W. B. Sills and Misses Marion and Marjorie, spent a couple of days at Bandell Sills' and attended the Pleasant Valley picnic.

Mrs. W. R. Pringle and Misses Marguerite and Eileen, visited on Monday at Mr. Jack Friskin's, town.

Mr. and Mrs. Will. Birrell, of Bath, visited Sunday at Mr. Geo. Dupree's.

Mrs. Orton Robertson spent a few days at Mr. Herbert Sills', and attended the Pleasant Valley picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith and Jean, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Snider and two children motored to the Sand Banks on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Boyle and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vandebogart motored to the Sand Banks on Wednesday. Mr. Burton Vandebogart returned home with them to spend his holidays.

This neighborhood was well represented at the U. F. O. picnic at Varty Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Pringle and family and a number of relatives spent Wednesday at Beaver Lake.

Quite a number from here attended the Fishermen's picnic at Deseronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Desmore Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. Eslie Smith and two children motored to Beaver Lake and spent Sunday.

Pleasant Valley picnic was held last Tuesday in Mr. Geo. Dupree's grove and was a success. The day was perfect, ninety people were present, the ice cream was good, and all enjoyed a good time.

Master Kenneth Salsbury got a bad scalp wound by being kicked by a horse. Dr. Galbraith took several stitches in it, and we hope he will soon be alright again.

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VOTERS' LIST, 1921.

Municipality of the Township of Richmond, County of Lennox and Addington.

Notice is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in Section 9 of the Ontario Voters' Lists Act, the copies required by said sections to be so transmitted or delivered of the List made pursuant to the said Act of all persons appearing by the last Revised Assessment Roll of the said municipality to be entitled to vote in the said municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly or Municipal Elections, and that the said list was first posted up in my office at Selby on the 20th day of Aug., 1921, and remains there for inspection, and I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law.

LIST WOOD,
Clerk of the said Municipality

Dated at Selby this 25th day of August, 1921.

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NOTICE.

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JOHN WILSON,
Marlbank. 3

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CENTREVILLE

Rain is much needed again as the ground is getting very dry.

Farmers are busily engaged cutting their corn, and have started filling their silos. Corn is an excellent crop through here.

James B. Weese has sold his residence here and mail route to Percy Thompson who will begin his contract on the first of September.

James McGill is now convalescent.

Miss B. Kennedy, Brooklyn, N. Y., is spending some time with her mother, Mrs. P. Evans.

Miss Annie Ingoldsby, Brockville, is visiting her brother, C. Ingoldsby.

E. J. Perry is spending some time in the north country hauling lumber.

Our Fair is to be held on the 16th and 17th of September and promises to be a hugh success.

A good many from around here contemplate taking in the big Lennox Fair on September 13th, 14th and 15th.

Miss Mildred Moon has returned to her home in Deseronto after visiting friends here for a couple of weeks.

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W. A. GRANGE,
Clerk.

August 18th, 1921. 38-b

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Denbigh—Denbigh, Sept. 9th.
Amherst Island—Stella, Sept. 19th.
Richmond — Selby, Sept. 20th.
Camden — Centreville, Sept. 21st.
Sheffield — Tamworth, Sept. 22nd.
Camden East—Camden East, Sept. 23rd.
Ernestown — Odessa, Sept. 28th.
N. Fredericksburgh — Anderson's Church, Sept. 29th.
S. Fredericksburgh—Sillsville, Sept. 30th.

PARLIAMENTARY LETTER

The longest period of indicision and inaction must end some time —even though that period of indecision on the part of the government with regard to the calling of bye-elections and making up its mind in the direction of a general election. The Premier has promised to speak and enlighten the country as to what is going on in his mind. Perhaps there is a thought of election there, but indications are the other way.

The end of the six months period within which the writ for West York sonstituency has almost been reached when the government plucked up sufficient courage to take the bull by the horns and issue the call. Now the writs are out calling for nominations on September 22nd, with the polling two weeks later, on October 6th. That in itself may be taken as an indication that the government has no thought of any immediate general electin, and the probabilities are that contests will be staged in four or five of the vacant constituencies in order that the government can pull off one or two wins it will have an excuse for saying that it still has a mandate.

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During the last couple of weeks, since the premier got back from London, the country has been treated to an exhibition of leadership before the wind similar to that which aroused the ire of everyone before Mr. Meighen became premier. First there has been a wavering towards the decision to call an election, and then a similar wavering back to the hanging on idea, until the government, in the face of things, looked like a reed swayed by every passing breeze. Newspapers and persons hitherto supporters of the government, have been urging Mr. Meighen to give up the ghost and go to the country, admitting as they did so that there was no hope of anything but defeat for himself and his party. The private members of his support, knowing that an extra session meant an extra four thousand dollars, have urged him in the opposite direction and apparently won out.

The premier has maintained silence through it all, but finally announced that he would make a statement on government's policy at a public meeting in Ontario early in September. Since then he has announced that he would address a meeting in London on September 1st, and it is expected that he will choose that as the opportunity of saying what he intends doing. In the meantime no opportunities are being lost by his followers of circulating party propaganda, and every day or so something is handed out on the Hill which has all the earmarks of being intended to educate the public along the lines the government wants them to be educated. In this class might be placed the letter of Sir Henry Drayton to the Farmers' Sun, and that of Sir Joseph Flavelle to the premier regarding the National Railway System.

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Sir Joseph, (of bacon fame), was appointed director for the government of the Grand Trunk System when that was taken over by the government last May. Judging by the voluminous letter he laid on the premier's desk a few days ago, he has spent most of the intervening time in looking into the possibilities of pulling the government system out of the hole and has found but little chance of doing so unless the whole thing is re-organized and placed on something the same footing as a private company.

He holds out no hope of anything but further deficits under the present system, and the most of the government supporters urging on the subject of railways, goes back to 1903 to blame the government of these days for over-development of railways. The further loans and hand-outs made to the Mackenzie and Mann crowd since 1911 are practically overlooked in the condemnation of earlier mistakes. The whole trouble apparently, he finds, is that there is more railroads than there is business for them to handle, and the Canadian National, lacking the equipment, roadbed and management that its competitor has always insisted upon, finds itself on the short end of the stick.

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Many more millions must be poured into the maw before there is any return, and the roughly knight from Toronto would reorganize the National company, having the government accept stock in lieu of its present securities, and then put the whole thing in the hands of a big enough man to pull it out of the hole. In order to give it a start he would write off the initial cost of constructing the intercolonial and Transcontinental, and until there were any profits, let the government continue to pay the shot. The company would benefit by the changed methods of financing, he suggests, and the government would get a return out of the profits—when there were any.

As a means of getting more business for the roads to handle, Sir Joseph would embark on an aggressive colonization policy and send settlers to the vacant lands of the west, in fact carry out a similar policy to that which the Liberal administration was condemned by the Tory opposition prior to 1911.

At the present time the National system is paying out in operating costs about $1.28 for every dollar's worth of business it is able to transact, so that it is not hard to see why Sir Joseph was unable to see any immediate prospect of the system making any money. And, as rates are to be reduced, in all probability, about the middle of next month, there is little prospect of losses being in any way reduced during the balance of this year's operations.

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Canada has lost a fine son in the death of Sir Sam Hughes. One of the outstanding figures in the Borden Government during the early years of the war, and the man who had to shoulder the blame for a lot of others' sins, Sir Sam was honored and respected for what he accomplished, and despite his faults, Canada is poorer through his death, and his place will not soon be filled. He will be missed from Parliament, for everyone there respected his sincerity, and parliamentarians of every shade of political stripe are united in expressing sorrow at the loss of this fine old member.

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There will be over 150 exhibitors in the automotive display at the Canadian National Exhibition.

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RECALLS THE PAST.

Ancestor of Lord Amherst Helped to Seize Canada.

Viscount Holmesdale, who is due to visit Canada shortly with his friend Noel Edward Young, the English playwright, is the eldest son and heir of the fourth Earl of Amherst, and serves throughout the great war as a captain of the Coldstream Guards, being twice invalided home badly wounded. It is understood that he is coming over here in connection with certain business interests of his father in America.

In 1915, on the occasion of the annual banquet in New York of the alumni of Amherst College, Mass., at which some 800 graduates were present, a letter was read from Lord Amherst, dated Montreal, his country seat at Sevenoaks in Kent, announcing that Lord Holmesdale, who bears the Christian name of Jeffery, had just received his commission as lieutenant of the Coldstream Guards and had joined his regiment at the front in France for service against the Germans. The reading of the letter was followed by the singing of the college song;

Oh! Lord Jeffery Amherst was a soldier of the King,
And he came from across the sea.
To the Frenchman and the Indian he didn't do a thing
In the wilds of this wild countree!

The Massachusetts university of Amherst takes its name, like the adjacent town of Amherst, from Jeffery Amherst the celebrated, Kent born young Englishman who won his way up from an ensigncy in the Coldstream Guards to the rank of field marshal and commander-in-chief of the British army. After having distinguished himself in the battles of Dettingen, Fontenoy, and Laffeldt, he was appointed to the command of the British forces in America and entrusted with the task of seizing Canada. He captured in turn Niagara, Louisburg and Montreal—Quebec being taken by Wolfe—and was thereupon appointed Governor-General of British North America.

Later on he was Governor of Virginia, and in 1772 was called home and made commander-in-chief of the army, acting in that capacity as chief military adviser to the Government in London during the American War of Independence. In 1776 he was raised to the peerage as Lord Amherst of Montreal, and was succeeded in his honors by his nephew, William FitzAmherst, who distinguished himself as ambassador to China and as Governor-General of India, being advanced to the earldom of Amherst. The present earl is his grandson.

Although the peerages of Lord Amherst are therefore comparatively modern, yet his family is a very ancient one, claiming descent from a certain Gilbertus of Hemmelhurst, in Kent, who figures in the so-called "Pipe Roll" of 1215; while the name of Rogerus de Hemmehurst is to be found in the Chartulary of Bayham Abbey, in the reign of Edward II., and by the year 1400 Hemmehurst or the name being transformed into Amherst in the twenty-fifth year of the reign of Edward III.

Lord Amherst is a soldier by profession, served in the Nile expedition for the relief of Gen. Gordon at Khartoum, is married to a daughter of Lord St. Levan and has estates in Kent embracing some 20,000 acres.

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The Young Farmers' Judging Competitions at the Canadian National Exhibition will be held on Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 7th and 8th, starting at 9 a.m.

THREE SISTERS DROWN IN TRAGEDY NEAR COLLINS BAY

The victims of the accident were Mrs. Susan M. Rice, aged 31 years, Collins Bay; Miss Lillian Scott, aged 18 years, and Miss Anna Scott, aged 15 years, daughters of Mr. William Scott, Westport.

Three sisters lost their lives in a tragic drowning accident at Collins Bay on Wednesday afternoon of last week. The story of how the tragedy occurred will never be known, as there were no eyewitnesses to the awful affair, but it is believed that one of the younger sisters was overcome with cramps, or got beyond her depth, and that the other two sisters gave up their lives in a gallant attempt to make a rescue. The three women were drowned in a favorite bathing spot, directly in front of the Rice home, and within a stone's throw of the house.

Two homes are thrown into sadness following the tragedy, for in one there is left a husband and a baby boy, seventeen months old. The husband is grief-stricken, while the baby calls again and again for his mother, and refuses to be comforted. In the other father, mother, sisters and brothers mourn the loved ones. What was intended to be a frolic in the water for two young girls was suddenly turned into a tragedy. And now the entire countryside mourns with the kith and kin of the dead, who were beloved by all who knew them.

BIG FISHERMEN'S PICNIC HELD AT DESERONTO

At Mohawk Grove, Deseronto, a fishermen's and citizens' picnic was held Wednesday of last week, and was attended by upwards of 3,000 persons. Members of the Bay of Quinte and Eastern Lake Ontario Fishermen's Union were present in large numbers from Kingston in the east to Bowmanville on the west. At noon a fish dinner was provided when upwards of 1,200 pounds of whitefish were cooked upon the grounds and given away freely.

During the afternoon a platform meeting was held, presided over by Mayor Malley, of Deseronto. Addresses were given by W. C. Mikel, K.C., Belleville; H. R. Denyes, M.P.P. for East Hastings, who gave an account of his stewardship; Hon. N. Parliament, speaker of the Provincial Legislature, and M.P.P. for Prince Edward county, and Hon. Col. Carmichael, D.S.O., M.C., of the Hydro Commission. All of the speakers spoke eulogistically of the fish industry and the necessity there was of preserving that industry.

The remainder of the afternoon was given over to sports. The day's proceedings closed with a grand ball in the evening, held at Camp Summerside, Deseronto.

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Centenary of Keats.

The centenary of the death of John Keats was duly celebrated a few months ago, and now as a permanent record of the occasion appears "The John Keats Memorial volume," a large quarto of some three hundred pages containing many tributes in prose and verse. The place of honor is held by the Warton Lecture on Keats delivered by Prof. Ernest de Selincourt before the British Academy on the Centenary Day, and among the other notable prose are contributions by Prof. Lascelles Abercrombie on the second version of "Hyperion," John Bailey on "The Poet of Sadness," Dr. Frederick S. Boas on "The Greek Spirit in Keats," Dr. A. C. Bradley on "Keats and Shakespeare," George Bernard Shaw on "Keats as Poet," Prof. George Saintsbury on "Endymion," and Prof. Oscar Browning on the belated beginnings of the poet's fame. Among the poetical tributaries are Thomas Hardy, Robert Bridges, John Drinkwater, Laurence Binyon, Alfred Noyes, Katharine Tynan, Henry van Dyke, Amy Lowell, W. B. Yeats, John J. Chapman and Lord Dunsany. The volume has been prepared under the editorial charge of Prof. George C. Williamson.

The poetic age into which Keats was born was an age of great deeds, great events and great literature. The French Revolution had set the world awry, and poetry was expressing the aspirations of mankind. "In this atmosphere," says Prof. de Selincourt, "Keats grew to be a poet. Small wonder that he cried in the fervor of awakening genius: 'Great spirits now on earth are adjourning.' Young as he was, he felt his kinship with them. Of them all he was the most richly endowed with that nature and temperament of the artist. Never was poet more alert to detect beauty nor more quickly responsive to its apparition. His response to the beauty of literature and art was as immediate. And, when, after his first incoherences, his passion for the beautiful, like all true passion, became creative, his instinct took him to the great tradition, and he found voice in a magical felicity of phrase that none but Shakespeare or Milton has equalled."

MERCHANT TELLS OF A REMARKABLE CASE

Writing from Maxeys, Ga., A. J. Gillen, proprietor of a large departmental store at that place, says:

"I have a customer here who was in bed for three years, and did not go to a meal at any time. She had five physicians and they gave her up. One bottle of Tanlac got her up, on the second bottle she commenced keeping house and on the third she did all the cooking and housework for a family of eight."

This sounds really incredible, but it comes to us direct from a hibbly creditable source, and is copied verbatim from the letter.

Tanlac is sold in Napanee at Wallace's Drug Store, and by leading druggists everywhere.

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THE NAME OF LACROSSE.

Indians Applied Many Strange Words to the Game.

It is a lucky thing for us that the French got busy and colled the name "lacrosse" for our national game. Like so many words that we have received from the people of France, lacrosse has a certain natural quality English-speaking people have the habit of giving practical but common-place names to their sports. There is nothing very romantic or picturesque in such words as "soccer" or "baseball," or even less popular pastimes as "quoits" or "mumbly-peg." But the word "lacrosse" has in it a slight suggestion of music and a little of romance as well.

It was the French explorers who gave the name to the Indian game. They saw the red men playing it and noted the resemblance of the chief implement used in the game to the bishop's crozier. It was natural, therefore, for them to speak of the sticks as "la crosse" and from that the modern name was derived.

We are in the habit now of speaking of the stick as the "lacrosse," but a great many of us, who are not yet quite old enough to be entirely senile, can remember when persons who aimed to be correct always referred to the playing stick as "the crosse."

It is not only because the name "lacrosse" is so striking and distinctive that we must thank the French for giving it to us. But we must also be grateful to them for making such a vast improvement upon the Indian names for their game. Every tribe appears to have had their own title for it, and the only one that an ordinary man would say without choking to death over it was "baggataway." It will be readily admitted that baggataway" is not one of those musical sounding words that poets love to write about. And wait until you hear some of the others.

According to one authority, there was a version of the game in which they did not use a goal between two poles. Instead, the ball had to strike a single tree or pole goal. The game was known as "Torhenaoketo-ohikta." It sounds like a piece of comic Russian, but it isn't.

The Algonquins called the game "Telontaesiksaheks."

The Iroquois called it "Tehontehiki-t-sahoks."

Now I am quite aware that it may seem silly to put the figure "8" right in the middle of a word and expect it to be incorporated as part of the whole. But my authority for the Iroquois version of lacrosse and how they played it is a British encyclopedia. Accordingly, the name "Tehontshik-t-sahoks" may sound very unlikely, but if it is good enough for a British encyclopedia, far be it from an ordinary newspaper writer to dispute the information.

If the French had not come to our assistance with the word "lacrosse," what would we have done about it? Even the comparatively simple Algonquin name would be a poser for most of us. Imagine asking the best young lady fan you know, "Will you come down to the athletic park next Saturday to see the Telontaesiksaheks game?" The invitation would probably leave you speechless for the remainder of the evening with a sprained tongue.

If a player mentioned the name of the game to the officials in the heat of an argument, he might even be suspended for "using improper language to the referee."

We are grateful to the Indians for having supplied us with our national game, but we writers are egotistical enough to think that we have improved upon the redmen's title just as we have improved upon the redmen's rules.—The Toronto Sunday World.

The Lake of Asphalt.

"The far-famed asphalt lake of Trinidad is not much to look at," says Mr. Harry A. Franck in "Roaming Through the West Indies." "It is a slightly concave, bald patch of a hundred acres with shores as definite as those of a lake of water. It is surrounded by scanty brush and low, thirsty palms. The soft black towers of half a dozen oil wells break the otherwise blank horizon. A trade wind almost constantly sweeps across the field.

"On the surface of the lake several groups of negroes work leisurely. One man in each group turns up with every blow of his pick a black porous lump of pitch the size of a market basket; the others bear the lumps away on their heads to small cars that run on narrow tracks. Other men are paid eighty cents a day of ten hours—a sum that, as it seems big to them and small to their employers, satisfies every one.

"This reservoir of pitch is apparently inexhaustible. The holes dug during the day fill imperceptibly and are generally gone by morning. The deepest one ever excavated disappeared in three days. Only a small part of the field is worked; it could easily keep all the ships of the world busy. The lake, which has a faint smell of sulphur, is soft underfoot like a tar sidewalk in midsummer. If a man stands still on it for a minute or two, the heels of his shoes will sink out of sight. In a few places it is not solid enough to sustain a man's weight, though children and the barefooted workmen scamper across it anywhere at sight of a white visitor to demand 'a penny, please, sir.'"

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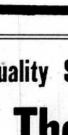

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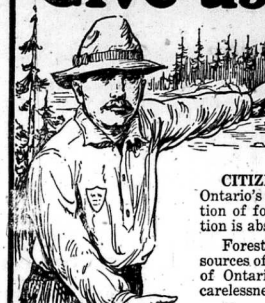

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RAILWAY OFFICIALS can help. Railways cause 40% of Ontario's Forest fires. The Forestry Branch is being well supported by improved co-operation on the part of railway officials and by the Dominion Railway Board. Let us reduce the number of railway fires one-half this summer. (The train passenger in Northern Ontario who nonchalantly throws his cigarette or cigar out of the window during the forest fire season is deserving of a jail sentence!)

CAMPERS, tourists, fishermen, picknickers, berry pickers, prospectors and hunters should feel their responsibility even though out of sight of the policeman.

SETTLERS can co-operate by exercising more care in setting out fire on their own property.

LUMBER FIRMS can help by impressing on all foremen the need for carefulness. Riverdrivers in dry seasons should be specially warned. Gangs of men going in and out to the camps need special attention, because of the danger along the slash-lined trails from the inevitable cigarette.

THE PRESS could do more public-spirited constructive work to reduce forest fires than any other single agency. This is a non-political campaign in which the whole press could join.

LEADERS OF PUBLIC OPINION in every community should be the first to extend a helping hand. Tell the Chief Ranger or write the Head Office any time you have information or suggestions to impart, or questions to ask.

GIVE US A HAND!

Ontario Forestry Branch — Parliament Buildings, Toronto

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FLOWERS IN COLORS. ... CANADA.

Titled People Settle on an Alberta Ranch.

So many of the members of the English aristocracy are taking up their permanent residence in Canada, driven thereto by the economic conditions and burdensome taxation of the old country, that the Dominions will soon have a peerage of its own, says the New York Spur. Among the latest settlers are Lord and Lady Rodney, who announce their intention of living permanently on the ranch which they acquired some eighteen months ago in Alberta and which they are working and developing in a very successful fashion. They have with them their little boy of three, who is on his mother's side a grandson of the Hon. Lascelles Ironther, only brother and next heir of the childless Earl of Lonsdale.

Lord Rodney, who served throughout the Great War, first as a captain of the Royal Dragoons, and afterwards as a major of the Tank corps, is one of the very few remaining holders of an hereditary Perpetual Pension. It amounts to ten thousand dollars a year, paid to him, by the National Treasury for the services rendered by his ancestor, the celebrated Admiral Sir George Rodney, who has justly been described as the greatest commander in England's naval history, with the exception of Nelson and Blake. His principal victory was over the French in the West Indies, which resulted in the Peace of Versailles. Lord Rodney's mother is a sister of the present Lord Wimborne, also of Lionel and Frederick Guest, each of whom has an American wife.

The family of Rodney is a very ancient one. In the time of Empress Maud, Walter de Rodney is shown by contemporary records still in existence to have received a grant of land in Somersetshire, named after him, Rodney Stoke. Another Rodney was one of the fellow crusaders of Richard Coeur-de-Lion, and was killed by his side at the siege of Acre.

6,000 Miles In a Smack.

Mr. Henry W. Drew, one of the crew of the sailing smack Chance, which undertook a voyage from Lowestoft to Cape Town — 6,000 miles—has returned to his home.

He tells a thrilling story of the perils which the vessel of forty-six tons reached during the three months she was on the high seas.

A storm off Teneriffe carried away some of the sails, and later the pump became blocked, and the crew had to bale out with buckets.

The water supply ran short, and the captain ordered that no more drinking water was to be used for cooking. "Our diet," said Drew, "consisted of biscuits and potatoes boiled in sea water."

Hawaiian Scientist Has Spent Two Nights Alone In Crusoe's Historic Cave

PROF. WILLIAM A. BRYAN, an Hawaiian scientist and explorer, recently explored Robinson Crusoe's island, Mas Atierra or Juan Fernandez, and its near neighbor, Mas Aquera, both in the Pacific Ocean off the Chilean coast. He thus writes of his experiences in a letter to a friend.

"Mas Atierra, commonly known as Juan Fernandez, is 900 miles off the coast. It is 12 miles long and 3 2-3 miles in the very widest part. Mas Aquera is 90 miles further west and is 6 by 3 1-2 miles in extent. Both are high volcano islands, deeply eroded by time into wonderful valleys. The scenery in grandeur, beauty and verdure is almost, if not quite, equal to what we know as the oldest parts of our Hawaiian Islands.

"After eight days of indifferent sailing we arrived at Cumberland Bay, on 'Selkirk's Island,' where we swung at anchor for a day while we took on board eight local lobster fishermen, with their boats and gear. We then set sail for the further island, arriving in twenty-four hours.

"Landing the next morning with all my scientific gear was by no means a safe or simple task. However, by nine o'clock my mugo and I stood on shore with everything about us reasonably dry. Thus began what was to be at least two weeks of 'Alexander Selkirking' on an uninhabited island, as the arrangement was of the boat to catch 1,000 or 1,550 lobsters and carry them to Valparaiso, then return for me on its next voyage.

"The details of the adventurous experiences and mishaps of that sojourn I will save to tell you in person. It will include real shooting—we shot nine out of one flock—the tragic death of our old goat dog, Amarillo (Yellow), who went over a cliff to his destruction on the rocks of a good 100 feet below, and finally the accidental shooting of my mozo, which was happily not fatal.

"On our arrival at Juan Fernandez proper I went into residence, so to speak. Living in the home of one of the fishermen's families, I was made as comfortable as is possible on the island, spent four weeks in hard but profitable field work. Several short excursions to remote parts were made, spending two to four days in the open at a time. Of course, the real adventure here was that of spending two nights all alone in the cave inhabited by Alexander Selkirk during the four years and four months of his solitary residence on the island (1704-1709).

"I made the trip round Cumberland Bay to English Bay, where the cave is, in a fishing boat and was 'put on the beach' by my canoe man, who in his pajamas. This is a no-head of one of Chile's largest and worst bands of highwaymen.

"Toward the close of the third day my man Friday came down over the mountains with a spare mule to bring me and my plunder back to the settlement. So while my solitude was not as long as Selkirk's, it was equally complete while it lasted.

"The topographical and climatic conditions of the island are very similar to Hawaii.

"The most striking thing is the general and, in many instances, close similarity of the plants and land animals to representatives that are found in Hawaii. It would almost require a book to record all of my notes and observations on these important heads.

"My suggestion that the Chilean Government convert Juan Fernandez into a national park on the North American plan, with hotels, etc., has been most flatteringly received and commented on in the press. It is ideally situated and endowed as a natural pleasure ground. The fishing there excels anything I have ever seen. Knowing my interest in yachts, you can appreciate the pleasure it would give me if my suggestion should result in my becoming the father of the first great national park in all South America."

The Cult of Omar.

The church of the Cult of Omar has expired. Founded on the Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam, a new religious organization, was born in The Pas, Manitoba, this spring; it sprang into sudden importance and to-day only three of its original members would admit that they still held firm to their beliefs. The exodus from membership started when a new convert made the statement that the whole affair was arranged with the object of getting a Government permit to purchase liquors from the Government store under guise of its necessity for sacramental purposes. Officials of the cult deny that they had any such intention.

Many leading business and professional men of The Pas were members of the Cult, and the movement had assumed an importance and standing that was thought to threaten the temporary disruption of the local churches. Ministers were alarmed and amazed to read in a local paper the names of the members of the Cult of Omar, some of whom were leading members in the orthodox denominations. Following the statement of the truant members as to the alleged purpose of the society, the movement collapsed rapidly.

Politicians at Play

WHEN the division bell sounds for the last time before a vacation, British law-makers look forward to escaping from the boredom of Westminster as eagerly as so many emancipated schoolboys to their summer holiday. The next day sees them scattered gladly to all points of the compass on pleasure bent.

And their ways of enjoying their well-earned freedom runs through the long list of diversions, from golf and shooting, even to such homely pastimes as gardening and farming, and such holiday duties as visiting their constituencies and doing trade union work.

Mr. Lloyd George sets his fellow-legislators an excellent example in simple holiday tastes. He finds his chief pleasure in the home circle at Criccieth, or at his new official home, Chequers, with a few congenial friends as guests, and long days spent on the nearest links. This, with a few motor excursions and quiet days spent under a friend's roof, make the holiday his heart loves.

Mr. A. J. Balfour is equally happy in the peace of his beautiful home at Whittinghame, with his books and his music for companions, varied by delightful hours on the links and strenuous games of lawn tennis, which, at 72, he still plays amazingly well.

Mr. Churchill now spends much of his leisure in the company of his easel and palette, painting pictures which, clever as they are, he is, curiously enough, too diffident to acknowledge. His art, his motor car, with a week or two of rambling on the continent, send him back to Westminster like a giant refreshed.

Lord Birkenhead, Lord Chancellor though he is, is young enough to find his chief pleasure in a tennis racket, which he wields with the skill and energy of a boy of twenty. But he has plenty of time left for long motoring trips, for golf, and a little yachting, all of which he enjoys with the zest of his Oxford days.

Mr. Asquith, although he is now almost within sight of his seventieth birthday, has plenty of energy for his favorite golf, and most of his holiday time is spent on Scottish links, or in visits to the homes of some of his many friends north of the Tweed. Sir Edw. Carson, emancipated from the House and the Law Courts, finds equal pleasure with his golf-clubs, in long rambles through the Sussex lanes, or among the books in his library.

Dr. Macnamara is another golf enthusiast who spends most of his leisure time on different links, preferably on the South Coast, varied by ideal days of cricket in Welsh or North Country dales. Sir Arthur Griffith-Boscawen is happy with his gun, playing havoc among the birds, when he is not touring about the country in his motor-car.

Sir Laming Worthington-Evans also finds health and recreation among the birds, as he has done since boyhood. The late Viscount Peel found his to-day just as happy with his golf-clubs on Surrey links. Mr. Lloyd Mond finds all the health and fun he wants in one or other of his beloved sports, which range from riding to golf, and from motoring to cricket and tennis.

Mr. Amery's pet passion is for the sea. He loves to get "aboard a lugger" and sail away, care-free as only a man who knows his Mediterranean can be, with a full sail and his hand on the tiller; though he is little less happy with his alpenstock, and the glorious mountain passes, or roaming wherever his fancy directs over the continent, alone for choice.

Lord Long, better known perhaps as Mr. Walter Long, in spite of his poor health, still loves a game of cricket at his Wiltshire home, and can still ride a hounds as well as most men of half his years. And Viscount Grey asks nothing more of fortune than to be allowed to wander all day with his rod, to the banks of remote rivers, or to play games of tennis, at which he won fame in the 'nineties.

Sir Hamar Greenwood divides his holiday allegiance between a horse, a gun, and a fishing-rod, and he doesn't know which he likes best. Mr. Bonar Law has but one outdoor recreation—golf, which he declares to be "the most fascinating and humiliating game" he knows; and Mr. Shortt swears equally by fishing and golf, though after long years of practice he confesses he is a "tyro at both."

Lord Lansdowne loves to escape from the fetters of politics and society to the peace of his delightful homes in Kerry or in Perthshire. And Lord Curzon and Lord Milner are no less happy in their country homes or enjoying the hospitality of their many friends.

Sir Walter Scott's Wish.

That Sir Walter Scott had a great desire to be a war correspondent is one of the many interesting things to be found in a new and intimate life of the great novelist by Archibald Stalker. "Twice," says the biographer, "he wanted to be a war correspondent in a generation that had more horror of war than ours, and could not even imagine the trade of describing it." The first time was in 1810, when he longed to "take a peep at Wellington and his merry men in Portugal." The second time was in 1815, after Waterloo had been fought. "I never found a soldier who could give me an idea of a battle," says Scott. His wish to visit the great battleground was gratified, though not in the capacity of a war correspondent.

Growing Old Gracefully

Are you growing old gracefully? Who wins in the race of life? Is it the man who is thin, blooded, weak, tired all the time?

An athlete trains for every race. A man is as strong as his blood and as old as his arteries. Make your blood redder, your health better by taking that old fashioned blood tonic—sold fifty years ago and still "good as gold"—namely, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Sold by all druggists, or send 10c. to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., for a trial package.

CHATHAM, ONT.—" For many years I suffered with stomach trouble, and I tried many remedies, but they seemed to be a failure. I seemed to be getting worse instead of better. One day I came into possession of a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and took it, and my stomach trouble seemed completely cured. I have great faith in this medicine, and hope any sufferer that reads this will give the 'Discovery' a trial. Once tried, you will never be without it."—C. Titus, Jr., 32 Duke St.

MONUMENT TO TECUMSEH.

Spot Where Indian Chief Fell Now Marked by a Boulder.

The spot where the famous Indian chief Tecumseh fell in battle while rallying his warriors to the support of the British as they retreated before the invading Americans over 100 years ago, may soon be suitably indicated by a monument erected jointly by the Provincial and Federal Governments. At the present time the site of the Battle of the Thames, a few miles out of the village of Thamesville, Ont., is marked only by a big granite boulder, set up and inscribed by the Thamesville Historical Society a few years ago. Since that time the aid of both the Ontario Government and the Dominion Government has been promised in the matter of suitably marking the historic spot, but nothing has actually been done. Upon a recent visit to Thamesville, however, Hon. Manning Doherty, Ontario Minister of Agriculture, not only spoke in favor of the proposal, but promised every aid in bringing about its suggested improvement. This is believed to be a step toward action in the matter.

Mr. Doherty expressed himself in entire sympathy with any movement to do honor to the famous Indian ally of the British, as well as to all who fought with him in the famous battle. He went on to say that he thought sketches of such events in the school books of the province would be much better than the sketches which many of them contain.

From time to time suggestions in regard to marking the site of the Battle of the Thames have been made, and the latest plan is to erect a cairn on the site and to build it a suitable monument. This idea has found popular favor, and the location of the proposed park is already decided on, the purchase and location of John Howat the name of Mons Park has met with public approval. Just east of the big granite rock which now marks the supposed spot where Tecumseh fell there is a bad piece of road, and the Government has in survey made for a new right of way. The survey ends at the boulder. Between the roadway and the river is an ideal stretch of land for a park. It is this strip which citizens of Thamesville think should be converted into public property. No design for a monument to Tecumseh has been suggested so far, though the general idea is that it should be a rather pretentious affair.

Dr. Stewart of Thamesville is enthusiastic over the plan to have a memorial park. A few years ago he was commissioned to wait on the Government and present a plea for a monument on the site of the battle. At that time Sir Thomas White promised that if the money was available something would be done, but nothing ever came of this contingent promise.

John McDowell, owner of Tecumseh farm, on which Tecumseh is believed to have met death in battle, is skeptical of promises of assistance from the Government, and many others are of the opinion that immediate steps should be taken to consummate the work of erecting a suitable monument regardless of whether the desired aid is received or not.

The Wrong Instrument.

A man made some purchases, and was offered a number of coupons with them by the assistant. He refused them.

"But we give handsome prizes," said the assistant. "If you save up a thousand coupons you get a grand piano."

"If I drank enough of your whisky and smoked enough of your cigars to get a thousand coupons," said the man, "I'd not want a piano. I'd want a harp."

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

Marriage and Divorce Are Worrying England; Causes of New Menace

IT'S a long time since England had nothing to worry about.

For some years it was the war, and since then it has been Ireland, the coal strike and a dozen other domestic problems. No sooner is one problem disposed of than another shows itself on the horizon, the latest to appear being that of marriage and divorce. It is true that for many years the divorce laws in England were scandalous, and that they still fall far short of the standards that are generally accepted in civilized countries. Nevertheless, the laws then were such as to madden only those persons who wished to put them into operation, and not the public generally. The public generally was rather proud of the fact that so few divorces were granted, and enjoyed reading the evidence in the comparatively few cases that came before the courts. Now the public shows a disposition to worry about the great number of divorce actions that are announced and at the corresponding decrease in the number of marriages. If both these tendencies continue it is plain that the country's increase in population will be much less than might have been expected.

Increases in divorce are ascribed to two causes. One is the greater facilities for having marriages annulled, the other is the war. Though the war is over, its effects upon the marriage and divorce statistics will likely be felt for years to come. There were thousands of marriages made in the war years, especially in the year 1915, between couples utterly unsuited to each other. As the London Daily Telegraph notes, "Young men in civil life were called up for service in an unfamiliar sphere; girls left home to fend for themselves for the first time in their lives with a considerable income, and, when on leave, with time and opportunity for wedding it freely. Every social foundation seemed to have been undermined and life depended on mere chance. In these circumstances thousands of marriages were lightly and sometimes thoughtlessly contracted on a foundation of little mutual knowledge. The separation allowance to wives paid by the Government contributed to encourage the system of young men and women to the altar or the registry office."

No wonder many of these marriages turned out unhappily. Everything seemed to conspire to make most of them a failure. The young husband, in all likelihood, was ordered abroad. His young wife remained at home with more money than she had ever had before in her life and with little experience in the handling of money. The likelihood was that she should fall in with other young women in similar circumstances, and that they should try to escape the boredom of their lives by whatever means came to hand. Perhaps loneliness, perhaps desperation, made many of them easy victims to the first personable chap who came along. In many cases they would discover, after the husband was gone, that they had made a mistake in choosing partners. There would be mutual disappointments, quarrels, with no common habit of life and mutual respect to tide over the critical period. Unfaithfulness proved, then a speedy decree of separation through the Divorce Court. Had this door not been opened then there would have been desertion and the setting up of illicit households.

At the Easter sitting of the Divorce Court there were 2,373 petitions awaiting trial, of which 2,000 were undefended, nine-tenths of them in the opinion of the Lord Chancellor, being trace. Able to the influences of the war, and this tendency, in his opinion, is likely to continue for a generation. The Westminster Gazette believes that the way by which marriage can be restored to something like its old sanctity in public regard is not to make divorce harder, but to make it easier. It also says, "Opinion that is ripening toward a rebellion, and the present state of the Divorce Courts would afford a sufficient test that if it will not put the matrimonial law on a reasonable footing, the institution of marriage will suffer a severe shock." That it has suffered some sort of shock is plain enough from the dwindling marriage rate. In the final quarter of 1920 there were 18,000 fewer than in the fourth quarter of 1919. That year was the last of the marriage boom years, the rate having reached 21.5, as compared with 16.5, which was the rate in 1913, the last normal year.

In the view of the Times, the reason marriages are declining is because of the increased cost of living. Marriage is a good deal more of a luxury now than it was in the war years, when there were millions of pounds distributed weekly in pay and allowances. The birth rate, too, is declining, and in the first quarter of this year was 22.6 per thousand, which, according to the London Times, is the lowest for any first quarter since the establishment of civil registration, with the exception of the quarters affected by the war. Increased taxation is also playing a part in the reduction of both marriage and birth rates. About the only cheering piece of news in the whole situation is that which shows that the death rate is extremely low, being slightly less than 15 per thousand, as compared with 20.1 in 1915, and 21.2 in 1913. The figures for 1919 are puzzling, and we must assume that many of the deaths were the result of injuries sustained in the war.

Ontario Products Abroad.

An exhibit of Ontario butter, cheese, condensed milk and powdered milk was on display in the office of the Agent-General for Ontario in London last winter, and created a favorable impression. Mr. E. Percival, assistant to the Agent-General, Dr. Creelman, took charge of this exhibit, and reports that it was inspected by the leading provision importers, who commented on the excellent appearance and quality of both the cheese and butter. Much interest was also taken in the display of Ontario honey and apples which were exhibited on the same occasion.

Arrangements are being made to send another exhibit of Ontario dairy products for display in London and other centres. A few of the leading manufacturers of Ontario are planning to exhibit in the competitive display at the Dairy Show to be held in the Royal Agricultural Hall, London, England, October 18 to 21, 1921.

Our Nickel Safe.

That there is not even a remote possibility of Hugo Stinnes, Prussian capitalist, gaining control of the British-American Nickel Corporation, despite statements to the effect that Herr Stinnes planned a visit to Canada for that purpose during the present year, was the statement made in Ottawa of S. M. Brown, secretary-treasurer of the B.A.N.C.

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School Opening.

The Napanee public schools will open on Thursday, September 1st. The Napanee Collegiate Institute will open on Tuesday, September 6th.

BASEBALL NEXT MONDAY

An interesting game of base ball will be witnesed at the Napanee Driving Park on Monday afternoon next, at 3 o'clock, when the Young Irishmen, of Kingston, play the Napanee team. Will you see this game ?

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Come to Miss E. Scott's private sale of household goods, consisting of fine walnut sofa, table, side board, dressers and stands, oak dining room suite, nearly new, mattresses, Quebec heater, scarcely used, Aladdin lamp, at about half price. Opposite Wiseman's Garage. 39-ap

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Rev. Dr. Shorey will conduct the services in Trinity church next Sabbath at 10.30 a.m., and 7 p.m.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at close of morning service.

The Sunday school and bible class at close of morning service.

Passenger Boat Paridle.

Will leave Napanee at 7 a.m., daily, (except Sunday). Returning leave Picton at 2 p.m., for Napanee. Phone 338 W. 35-d

Card of Thanks.

Mrs. R. A. Beard and family wish to thank their many friends and neighbors for kindly help and sympathy in the recent tragedy which lost to them their husband and father

The Napanee Women's Institute.

A special meeting of the Napanee Women's Institute is desired on Tuesday, September 8th, at 2.30 p.m., in the Agricultural Office. The members are especially requested to be present.

Strand Theatre.

The May Bell Marks Dramatic Company will play at the Strand Theatre three nights, Sept. 5th, 6th and 7th, and will present "The Runaway Wife," "The Natural Law," and "Mrs Temple's Telegram." Six Vaudeville Acts will be presented between the acts. Admission, 50c., 35c., and 25c.

Kicked By Horse.

Russell C. Craig suffered a severe accident while operating a cultivator on a farm about six miles from Napanee Friday afternoon. One of the horses kicked him with both feet, breaking his arm and bruising his chest. Although badly hurt, Mr. Craig had a remarkable escape from more serious injury, for it appears that the trace came off the whiffletree and one of the horses became frightened and kicked out with both feet. However, he got the animals under control, although suffering, and summoned assistance. Dr. Stration responded and rushed the unfortunate man to the Kingston general hospital where he is now resting easily.

The Danger of Spotlights on Cars.

The use of a spotlight on a motor car on the Belleville-Picton branch of the Provincial highway was responsible for a serious accident, as a result of which a Hillier lady had an arm fractured. Roy Wright, a young man who resides at Hillier, left Belleville at night to return home. When about two miles beyond Rossmore, a motor approached him. It was dark, and the advancing motorist urned off the headlights of his car, according to the story told later to the police by Mr. Wright in making complaint of the occurence. The stranger turned on a spotlight, which is forbidden by law to be carried on a motor, and Mr. Wright was so blinded by the light that he could not control his car and it careened over into the ditch.

Constable Beard's Funeral.

The funeral of Constable Richard Beard, who was cruelly shot by burglars on Sunday morning, was held in Trinity church on Monday afternoon, at four o'clock, and the remains aken to Thorold for interment. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. S. J. Shorey, assisted by Rev. A. J. Wilson, of St. Andrew's church, and Rev. Terrill, of Grace church. The edifice was filled with all classes of the community, and many remained outside during the service unable to find seating room in the church, expressing the deep sympathy the community feels toward the widow and family in the tragic death of the deceased. The members of the Masonic Order, of which deceased was a member, attended the service in a body and conducted their service in the school room of the church at the close of the service in the church.

Out of respect to the memory of the deceased constable all the business places in the town were closed during the hour of the funeral. Since his appointment as night constable Mr. Beard has proved himself a zealous and fearless officer, and had won the respect of all classes of people. Besides his widow Mr. Beard leaves three sons, Maitland, Malcolm, and Benjamin of Toronto; one daughter, Miss Jessie, Kingston; also one step-son, Mr. John Cameron, Toronto; and a step-daughter, Mrs. Hunter, Wingham.

BELL ROCK

The young people of our little town are anticipating a good time at the Verona social on Friday, the 16th inst., while the elders are busy entertaining their summer visitors.

Miss Stella Timmins, of the T. Eaton staff, Toronto, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Timmins.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McQuaig, Warsaw; Mrs. Sedgwick, Peterboro; and Peter Taylor, Lakefield; at R. Moir's.

Mr. J. S. Allan at J. Pomeroy's "Oak Hill Farm."

A goodly number of the young people attended the lawn social at Verona on Friday evening.

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10.30—Morning service.

11.45—Sunday school and bible classes.

7.00—Evening service.

Wednesday, 7.30—Mid-week meeting for prayer and bible study.

S. MARY MAGDALENE CHURCH

Rev. J. H. H. Coleman, M. A., Vicar.

Services of S. Mary Magdalene Church :

10.30—Holy Communion.

12.00—Sunday School.

7.00—Evening prayer.

Friday, 7.30—Choir Practice.

BASEBALL

BELLEVILLE RED SOCKS AT NAPANEE, AUGUST 24th

Huffman started the ball rolling in the first frame with a 2-base wallop. Frost fanned, but Stokes after scoring Huffman on a single stole 2 bags while Belleville were asleep. Vanalstine attempted a sacrifice which he beat out while the pitcher was trying to coax Stokes off from 3rd. Stewart scored him with a safety ; then Van scored on an overthrow. Johnston fanned and Jones drove out to pitcher.

Belleville made a feeble comeback in the second, when Storke after reaching third on errors by Stokes and Scrimshaw, scored on W. Miles' single.

Then Napanee batted all round. J. Miles doubled and reached 3rd on the error. Nash put Scrimshaw on 1st. Beard sacrificed and scored him. Frost singled and crossed the plate along with Scrim on Stokes' 2-bagger. Van singled, but Stokes tried to go too far and was nailed at the plate. Van stole ; Stewart walked ; after a wild pitch and error, Van scored. Johnston reached the first baseman's sack on his error. Jones made it a half dozen by scoring him and Stewart with a double. Miles grounded out to pitcher.

Next innings struck out two and Huffman caught Cook's fly. Then Scrimshaw's single, Huffman's double, Frost's sacrifice and Stokes' three-bagger added 2 more runs, piling up an 11 to 1 lead.

Belleville got their only earned run in the sixth when Cook singled and scored on Dennis' single. They were probably robbed of a run or two in the fifth by Vanalstine's shoe-string catch of Wardraugh's short fly. Loucks went the last three rounds facing only nine men whom he had at his mercy.

Jeffries held Napanee hitless except in the sixth. Stokes reached first on an error and stole. Van singled and both were scored by a long drive by J. Stewart, who has a habit of hitting when hits means runs.

The crowd was not large. Are you supporting the team ?

SUMMARY

Huffman, cf..	4	3	2	2	0	0
Napanee	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Frost, 1b....	3	1	1	6	1	0
Stokes, 3b...	5	2	3	0	3	2
Vanalstine, lf	5	3	3	2	0	0
Stewart, ss..	4	1	2	1	0	0
Johnston, rf..	5	1	0	0	0	0
Jones, 2b....	4	0	2	4	1	0
Miles, p.....	3	1	1	1	0	1
Scrimshaw, c	4	2	1	15	1	2
*Loucks, p...	1	0	0	0	1	0
	38	14	15	27	9	5

*replaced Miles in 7th.

Napanee	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Wardaugh, 2b	4	0	0	1	1	0
Marakas, ss..	3	0	0	0	0	2
Low, cf.....	4	0	0	0	0	0
Cook, c.....	4	1	1	8	1	1
Storks, lf....	3	1	0	0	0	0
W. Miles, 3b.	3	0	1	2	0	0
Jeffries, p...	3	0	0	0	4	0
Hunter, p....	3	0	1	2	5	2
*Jose	1	0	0	0	0	0
	30	2	4	23	12	8

*batted for Low in 8th.

Belleville	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Napanee	3	6	2	0	0	2	1	0	x

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Dive of Miss May Collier From Height of 96 Feet is the Thriller.

Brockville Recorder :—The Jas. M. Benson shows opened last evening for a week on the Murray field, Pearl street east, and attracted a large crowd of citizens who visited the grounds and were greatly surprised at the variety of shows carried by the company and the general wholesome and moral appearance of each and every performance given.

In the past three years Brockville and vicinity has been visited by carnival attractions of questionable worth and to a certain extent the citizens have been "fed-up" on this variety of entertainment, but in the James M. Benson shows can be found nothing objectionable for man, woman or child, and Brockvillians so disposed need have no qualms regarding a visit to the show grounds, judging from the attractions as given each evening.

The first night the crowd seemed to spend most of the time and money on the three rides, the merry-go-round, the Ferris wheel, and the Whip. The citizens of Brockville have not had an opportunity to ride on a Ferris wheel in many months and never before has the whip been seen on a local show ground. Consequently these two devices carried capacity crowds all evening.

In the united attractions the James M. Benson shows strikes a high note of interest and enjoyment. The largest show on the lot is the circus side show, under the management of Anheiser Busch. Mysterious Millie Florine, electricity tamer, mind reader and magician, is the featured attraction here. Murphy, the boxing monkey ; Prince Otto, 25 years of age, and about a yard in height ; he Brazilian monk, the smallest monkey ever seen here ; snake pit and other features are to be seen in this show.

Cyclone Williams, the bantam weight wrestler, is anxious to meet all comers in the athletic show, and the Broadway Minstrels, under the management of H. Nichols, are giving a change of vaudville every afternoon and evening. M. Heinz, mechanical superintendent of the shows, is the inventor of the Teaser, a device which one enters at the north and comes out at the south end after a few minutes of wonder, fun and genuine amusement.

Princess Numa, 55 years of age, 36 inches in height and weighing 40 pounds, is an interesting attraction.

The most interesting exhibition on the grounds is the work done by Charles Kirchmann, the miracle man, paralyzed since his birth, who writes, paints, draws, plays musical instruments, ties knots, shaves himself, operates typewriter, feeds himself, crochets, uses scissors and threads needles, all with his mouth. His work is little short of marvellous.

Another highly interesting attraction is the work of Capt. C. A. Norris, assisted under the management of George Pierce, gives lifesaving exhibitions, demonstrations of deep sea diving, and methods of defence against sea monsters, in a large tank of water, which can be viewed through a large glass opening in the side of the tank.

Nasca's Italian band, with Jack Wells, New York tenor is a good musical attraction on the ground, but the greatest feature of all is the sensational high dive by Miss May Collier, who holds the Richard K. Fox diamond belt for the championship diving feat of the world, won when she dived 198 feet from a bridge at Louisville, Ky., into the Ohio river. Miss Collier every afternoon at 4.30 and every evening at 10.30 o'clock gives an exhibition of fancy diving followed by her thrilling, death-defying dive of 96 feet from a ladder into a tank holding five feet of water.

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Frankford—September 15-16th.
Kingston—Sept. 20-26th.
Marmora—September 26-27th.
Napanee — September 13-14-15th.
Norwood—October 11-12th.
Ottawa—Sept. 9-19th.
Odessa—October 7th.
Picton—September 20-24th.
Robbins Mills—Sept. 30th, Oct. 1st.
Shannonville—Sept. 17th.
Stella—Sept. 28th.
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The threshing machine is once more in the vicinity.

A number attended the U. F. O. picnic at Varty Lake, and report a splendid time.

Miss. Ella Reid is spending some time with friends at Enterprise.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Jackson, Mrs. Bowen and Mr. Wellington Coulter spent a Sunday with Mr. Okel Bowen, Verona.

Mrs. Chas. Card, of Odessa, and Mrs. Frank McLaren's recently.

Master Ralph Brown returned home after visiting his sister at Enterprise.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandford DeGroff and Mrs. Eva DeGroff spent Sunday at Mr. Elmer Jackson's.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Coulter and Mrs. Norman Jackson were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hall on Sunday.

Mr. Leland and Miss Snider at Mr. Sampson King's, Sunday.

Mr. Charlie Reid and daughters, of Bellville, are spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reid.

Miss Thompson returned to Mr. Norman Jackson's after spending a week with friends at Echo Lake.

Mr. Kennedy returned to his home a Wednesday after spending some time with Mr. McLaren.

Mr. Foster spent a few days at Mr. Fred VanVolkenburg's.

Miss Lizzie Martin is a guest of Mrs. Norman Jackson one day last week.

Mr. Norman Jackson shipped a car load of cattle to Toronto last week.

Messrs. Elias Jackson, Norman Jackson, Wellington Coulter, and W. W. Coulter spent Wednesday at Mr. Chas. McClean's, Lime Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandford and Mrs. Eva DeGroff spent Sunday afternoon at Mr. John Brown's.

Mr and Mrs. McLaren, at Napanee Sunday.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Pyecock and family, of Toronto, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wellesley Coulter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Martin at Mrs. Norman Jackson's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Cronk, Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Cronk and family spent Sunday with Mr. Fred VanVolkenburg.

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NEWS TOPICS OF WEEK

Important Events Which Have Occurred During the Week.

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TUESDAY.

New York landlords are raising rents again.

Russia is offering big concessions to foreign capital.

Robt. Hardy was killed in a motoring accident near Lucan.

Italians make the United States dollar standard of value.

Negotiations between U. S. oil magnates and Mexico to take place.

British bowlers won all seven games of their match at London, Ont.

Robt. E. Sale, aged 20, Windsor, killed in motoring upset near Tilbury.

Mrs. "Toots" Randall won the U. S. women's trapshooting title at Chicago.

Rt. Rev. Felix Couturier, the new Bishop of Alexandria, arrived at Montreal.

Dail Eireann gives no indication yet of its attitude on the British proposals.

Ford's innovations in transportation an old story to Hydro, says Sir Adam Beck.

Geo. M. Hendrie's Estero won the D. and C. Stakes, the feature of the Windsor card.

W. J. Thompson, Toronto, was beaten in the national golf tourney at Winnipeg.

A small boy slipped into sewer outlet at Garrison Creek, Toronto, and is drowned.

Veteran amalgamation meeting told union of service men could defeat Government.

The Independent Order of Foresters held an impressive initiation ceremony in Toronto.

Toronto baseball team won another doubleheader from Jersey City. Rochester beat Baltimore.

All who ever wore the King's uniform are asked to join the Warriors' Day parade at Toronto Exhibition.

John A. Stewart, New Liskeard, killed, his son severely hurt, in collision of automobile and radial car.

Amable Lavictoire, 97-year-old inmate of St. Charles Home, Ottawa, falls downstairs, dying in a few minutes.

WEDNESDAY.

German goods capture markets in Switzerland.

Russian refugees pouring into Eastern Poland.

European corn-borer appears in Lincoln county.

Prince Feisal ascends the Arab throne in Mesopotamia.

"Big Four" Railroad Brotherhoods to issue strike ballots.

James Hales is appointed chairman of the Ontario Labor Board.

Miss Cecil Leitch, British women's golf champion, has sailed for Canada.

Detroit athletes will compete at the Canadian National Exhibition meet.

Additional form reversals marked the national amateur golf championships.

Toronto baseball team won their fifth straight game, beating Newark 11 to 5.

An official announcement names personnel of Crown Attorney's Department.

Three British pairs were eliminated from the United States tennis doubles play.

J. C. Ross is appointed superintendent of Toronto district by the Postmaster-General.

Mary Nokes, six years old, killed at Woodstock by an automobile backing out of a garage.

Napoleon Lafreniere, well-known Ottawa restauran eur, left a c[illegible] of $1,320 to his widow.

"Nick" and Mark Arle monopolized honors at the United States Grand National trapshooting.

Landon Desroches dies at Ottawa of tetanus, after losing three fingers in an accident a week ago.

Willie Thomas, aged seven, and Fred Cushman, eight, were drowned at a Red River boat livery, Winnipeg.

E. Labbie, aged 40, of Sherbrooke, killed by falling 100 feet through a skylight at the power plant in Montreal.

THURSDAY.

Pitcher Thompson of Toronto shut Newark out, 2 to 0.

Big fire on the New York water front endangers liner.

Three sisters were drowned at Kingston while bathing.

Mohammedan clan of Moplahs rise against British authority in India.

Japan sends acceptance of invitation to Washington conference.

New York displaced Cleveland for the American League leadership.

Angus Sinclair, C.E., Toronto, a noted contractor, dies in 73rd year.

Toronto police have located woman alleged to have left baby in a hotel.

Five Canadian aviators make a non-stop flight from Montreal to New York.

Two ocean-going barges bring cement from Watertown, N.Y., to Detroit.

Mitchell and Duncan, British pro. golfers, beat Messrs. Lyon and Jones.

Quebec plans to reforest three million acres of waste land as soon as possible.

Peace treaty between the United States and Austria was signed at Vienna.

It is rumored that the U. F. O. candidate may drop out of West York fight.

G. P. Shaw and F. Thompson, Toronto golfers, meet in Winnipeg semi-finals.

Premier Meighen will speak at London on September 1 on election prospects.

American Gladiolus Society's 12th annual convention and show opens at St. Thomas.

Niagara grapes are already being shipped, the crop being two weeks earlier and the yield large.

Giant airship ZR-2 built in England for the United States, crashed in speed tests Wednesday; 42 lives were lost.

Women organizations in Canada ask that Mrs. Arthur Murphy, police magistrate at Edmonton, be appointed to the Senate.

FRIDAY.

Big fires are raging in Moscow. Bodies of victims of ZR-2 not yet recovered.

The Chatsworth News has ceased publication.

Manitoba Laborites decide to enter Federal field.

Russia's famine threatens peril to western Europe.

Toronto Leafs won third game from Newark, 7 to 3.

A Labor candidate was elected in a Welsh constituency.

Premier Lloyd George receives reply of the Dail Eireann.

Treaty of peace with the United States signed at Berlin.

Armed miners carrying war into West Virginia coal area.

Manitoba is the interprovincial golf title of Canada at Winnipeg.

Drought in the West alter original estimates of harvest returns.

Albert Dumont, aged 27, dies at Montreal as a result of crash while flying.

Lawrence Belway, 23 years old, was killed while threshing at Winchester.

Andrew Brunton, G.T.R. constable of Allandale, fatally crushed at Orillia.

The Oxford rinks gave the visiting British bowlers a close call at Woodstock.

Duncan of the touring British golf team broke the record for the Brampton course.

Post office authorities order survey of business done and facilities in Toronto district.

Test cases against the Windsor Jockey Club and W. R. A. are being argued at Windsor.

Dr. Donald Kilgour, Toronto, has been admitted as a member of the Royal College of Physicians, London, England.

SATURDAY.

Gen. Nicholson wins Westminster election.

Meteorologist predicts cold winter coming season.

Lieutenant-Governor Clarke is considerably weaker.

Toronto decks itself to greet Lord Byng on his first visit.

A boy and a girl were drowned accidentally in Toronto Bay.

St. Thomas starts pumping its water supply by electricity.

National Wholesale Shoe Association is formed in Montreal.

Britain will send bodies of airship crash home in man-o'-war.

United States will speedily withdraw troops at Vera Cruz.

Night Raider made a new track record at Dorval on Friday.

Ellis F. Hnak won the National Trapshooting honors at Chicago.

Thompson and Hague meet in the final National Amateur tourney.

Toronto baseball team won final game of the Newark series, 4 to 3.

A re-union in Toronto of officers of the C. E. F. to-meet Gen. Byng.

Florida and Southern Governors will gather in Toronto in annual convention.

De Valera send Premier Lloyd George a letter rejecting the British offer.

Canadian National Railways shops commence working on a full-time schedule.

Trades and Labor Congress would bar all emigrants but farmers for a period of two years or more.

Sir Robert Borden and Rt. Hon. C. J. Doherty are Canada's nominees to the International Court of Justice.

Niagara District Hydro-radial Union asks the Drury Government to let it go on with Hydro-radial project of its own.

M. C. R. freight train of 80 loaded and 28 empty cars, nearly three-quarters of a mile long, leaves St. Thomas for Buffalo.

MONDAY.

Troops are ordered to scene of disturbance in India.

A big demonstration by Socialists is planned as counterblast against the Government during the session.

Joseph Kidd, prominent Goderich citizen, dies in 60th year.

Two cases of hold-ups were reported to the police Sunday.

Night Constable R. A. Baird shot dead by burglars at Napanee.

County police raid Mimico celebration and seize fireworks.

Sterling quoted in Toronto at $4.08½; New York at $3.68¾.

Premier Lloyd George reiterates that Ireland cannot get independence.

British cruiser Dauntless will carry home United States victims of ZR-2.

A woman's clothing was found at Scarboro Bluffs; police fear foul play.

Rev. W. R. MacKay accepts call to Bond Street Congregational Church, Toronto.

British bowlers won again at Chatham Saturday. They play in Toronto Tuesday.

Amusement taxes at English soccer games Saturday amounted to $145,000.

Frank Thompson of Toronto won the amateur golf championship at Winnipeg.

Thirty-two cases of liquor reported stolen from a house on St. Ann's Island, Toronto.

Australia from the Davis Cup and meet United States in final.

Burlington has become infested with rats, owing to a rubbish dump on the lake shore.

The Toronto baseball team beat Reading for second consecutive time, for thirteenth consecutive win.

Twenty-one choice lambs being prepared for Toronto Exhibition perish in barn fire at Orillia.

Pittsburg baseball team drew away from the Giants on Sunday. Cleveland gained on the Kilties.

Chief Medical Officer of Byron Sanitarium military police, has throat slashed by Indian he was helping to arrest.

Fail to Climb Mt. Everest.

LONDON, Aug. 29.—Reuter's correspondent in Simla cables that the Mount Everest expedition northward and westward has been completed without disclosing the route to the summit. There is still entertained some hope of success that a route to the summit may be gained on the northeast flank of the great mountain. When the monsoon abates another effort will be made. In the meantime the headquarters of the expedition have been moved toward Eharta, from whence remaining efforts will be concentrated. The present expedition has surveyed about ten thousand square miles of the territory on and adjacent to the great mount.

Will Hold Demonstration.

BERLIN, Aug. 29.—The Socialists and Communists have arranged demonstrations throughout Germany against the "white terror" for next Wednesday, the date set for the funeral of Mathias Erzberger, who was assassinated Friday.

Two students who had been arrested on suspicion of being connected with the assassination of Erzberger have been released.

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MAY DESERT LIBERALS

Premier Norris, Manitoba, Flirting With Farmers' Group.

Political Developments Are Coming Fast in Western Provinces—Hon. T. A. Crerar Is Endeavoring to Secure Alliance With Labor Which Will Conduct His Campaign In the Cities.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 29. — Political developments looking toward the coming Federal election moved swiftly in Manitoba Saturday, giving a new orientation to the political outlook in this province.

Saturday afternoon the Winnipeg Free Press (Liberal) announced that a decision had been reached by the members of the Norris Government Cabinet to support Crerar's National Progressives when Premier Meighen goes to the country.

The story, although unofficial, and although Premier Norris and members of his Cabinet are not talking about it for publication, has drawn no denial. That some movement of the kind was expected has been gossiped in political circles for some time, in fact, since the Lakeside by-election last winter, when the United Farmers of Manitoba kept out of a fight in which Hon. Charles McPherson, Minister of Public Works, had a battle against an "independent Farmer."

"The matter of the Norris Cabinet going out in support of the Federal Farmer candidates during the election campaign apparently has been discussed in Cabinet several times. The Ministers are not all reticent to talk on the subject. Hon. George H. Malcolm, Premier Norris, Hon. C. D. McPherson, Hon. Dr. J. W. Armstrong and Hon. R. S. Thornton probably will be the most active in support of the Farmers during the campaign. Whether Hon. Edward Brown and Hon. Thomas Johnson will take the platform to support actively the Farmers is not definite, but from current talk they are in favor of extension of support to the Farmers."

It is known that the organized Farmers were sympathetic toward Premier Norris's candidature in the provincial election. The United Farmers of Manitoba have not yet put a provincial field in Manitoba. The Farmer members, with a group in the present Legislature, are "independents" who were not officially endorsed by the U. F. M. Even these independents gave considerable support to the Government during the session.

The other development that came to the surface Saturday was the decision of the newly-formed Dominion Labor party organized in connection with the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress to seek an alliance with the Crerar Progressives. At a meeting Saturday a resolution was passed calling for a conference as early as possible with Mr. Crerar for the purpose of coming to a working arrangement with the National Progressives to make common cause at the next Federal election. This is to be done in all the provinces. John W. Bruce of Toronto is the president of the new Labor party, and F. J. Dixon of Winnipeg is vice-president.

Dixon is a member of the Manitoba Legislature and leader of the Labor group in the House. Dixon has been a sharp critic of the Norris Administration, and rarely supported the Government during the last session. According to talk around the Labor gathering Saturday the new Labor party will be the city wing of the National Progressives for the election campaign at least.

No mention is heard anywhere of the old Liberal party of which Hon. Mackenzie King is head. The Liberals have an organization, but it has not been active. The Mackenzie King Liberals have had no use for the Norris Government since Norris and his Ministers supported the Unionist party on the conscription issue. Despite this Premier Norris and Mr. Mackenzie King are friendly terms when the Liberal leader was in the West last winter and appeared together on the same platform.

Now that there has been public announcement that both the official Labor party and the Norris group are out to support the National Progressives, interesting developments can be looked for during the next few days.

On the question of the tariff the Labor conference decided that it was advisable not to finally dispose of the matter till a further conference was held. The resolution is:

"Removal of taxation on the necessaries of life, taxation on land values, and abolition of fiscal legislation that leads to class privilege," and advocates nationalization of the banking system and a capital levy for the reduction of the war debt.

On motion of James Somerville, Moose Jaw, seconded by F. J. Dixon, M.P.P., Winnipeg, it was decided that each provincial section be recommended to organize along the lines of the British Labor party.

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WELCOMED LORD BYNG

Veterans Showed Their Feeling for New Governor-General.

Striking Scenes at Opening of Toronto Exhibition, Where Former Leader of Canadian Forces In France Had Charge of Ceremonies — Colors Dedicated on Warriors' Day to Be Sent to Westminster Abbey.

TORONTO, Aug. 29.—By drawing an attendance of 65,000 on Saturday, the Canadian National Exhibition set a new record for opening day. Last year the attendance for the first day was 57,500, and for the year previous it was 37,500. The prospects are that, with favorable weather conditions, the Exhibition will set many new records before the two weeks are up. The attractions justify it.

Conditions for the opening of the Canadian National Exhibition could hardly have been more favorable, and the enthusiasm displayed could scarcely have been more gratifying than that which was to be witnessed on Saturday afternoon, on the occasion of the visit of Lord Byng, when, all the vim of former days, the greatest annual Fair in the world was declared open for the 43rd time in its history. There have been many big ceremonies for this grand event, but there has been only one in the past decade which came anywhere near equalling it in the demonstration which was staged. Thank you to do with the visit of the Prince of Wales two years ago. While Lord Byng went through these formalities which are essential before the Exhibition can be said to be in full swing, he did far more than that. He received from the hands of a good will of many thousands of veterans and citizens who witnessed the formal proceedings. After the fine reception and ovation to the Governor-General which greeted the appearance of Lord Byng wherever he appeared in the grounds, it cannot be said to the least doubt of the fact that for the next few years the Dominion will have one of the most popular Governors-General who has ever graced the representative of British authority overseas.

Officially, the Governor-General made but two appearances. He was the guest of the Exhibition directors at a luncheon, where, by the way, the testimony which he showed in a very brief and informal address he instantly won many friends. As he pointed out, he felt that the "most dreadful thing" he had to face was the warmth of welcome which had been extended to him.

Following the luncheon proceedings, the Governor-General, as representatives of the Federal and Provincial Governments, the city officials, the military, and members of the executive of the Fair and other prominent citizens, there came the big demonstration staged by the ten thousand veterans, who had marched from the corner of Dufferin and Bloor streets, three sides of a square, with the main bandstand in the centre. The Governor-General, Lord Byng and his party was enough to send the thousands into prolonged rounds of cheers which did not die out for several minutes, and ended only when the Governor-General waved back at the cheering multitude, and renewed acquaintance by smiling at them broadly. At that time after that the veterans took charge of things, as they saluted Lord Byng by singing many of the old wartime songs which made it more than plain by their attitude that it would have been most difficult for the officials to find any man who would have made a more acceptable Governor-General during this period than would Lord Byng. The manner in which he addressed them, wishing them all luck from the bottom of his heart, and closing with "God bless you, every one," was enough to bring about another hearty demonstration of the popularity which Lord Byng brought with him from overseas.

Since Saturday was Warriors' Day at the Exhibition, it was fitting that Lord Byng should take a prominent part in the dedication of the colors of the 22nd Toronto units which will shortly be deposited in Westminster Abbey. This ceremony presided over by Canon F. G. Scott, C.M.G., D.S.O., Chaplain-General of the Canadian Corps, was a markedly impressive one, and one which included thrown in to show that the sacrifice of the fallen can never be forgotten, no matter how thrilling may be the scenes of the present.

GREEK ARMY REPULSED.

Forced by Turks to Retire Across Sakaria River.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 29.—After three days of fighting the Turks have forced the Greeks to retire across the Sakaria river in Asia Minor. The Greeks lost many prisoners, much material and cannon and transport wagons.

The entire plan of campaign formulated by the Greeks has been temporarily held up.

The Greeks are said really to have been defeated by the Salt Desert, lack of water and many men stricken with malaria.

The right wing of the Greek army while attacking the Turks along the Sakaria river in Asia Minor has met with disaster and has been completely severed from the main body of the army, leaving the entire Greek army is thus placed in a most difficult strategical position. The Turks are attacking and seem to have plenty of ammunition.

A despatch sent out last Saturday from Athens by the Official Greek News Agency adds that the Greeks in Minor had come in contact with the main forces of the Turks east of the Sakaria river and that to the Salt Desert they had found the Turks in strong positions along the River Klouk. The despatch added that there had been sharp skirmishes with the Turks in this region for several days, but the Ottoman forces had been defeated in all the encounters.

Million Attend Football.

LONDON, Aug 29.—Approximately a million people paid admission to Saturday's forty-three football matches. This means a windfall to the National Exchequer, as Saturday's gates brought 29,000 pounds in entertainment tax.

WATCHMAN MURDERED.

Was Shot Dead by Three Burglars In Napanee.

NAPANEE, Ont., Aug. 29.—Napanee citizens were thrown into a state of great excitement Sunday morning when it became known that R. A. Beard, night watchman, had been shot by burglars. About one o'clock on Sunday morning, when Mrs. R. Bova went upstairs from her fruit store she thought she heard strange sounds in the alleyway at the rear of her home. She called to her husband, who had not yet come upstairs, and he crossed the street to the Royal Hotel, where the night watchman was standing and informed him.

Mr. Beard at once started to investigate and discovered three men in the alleyway just north of Smith's jewelry store. He called to them to throw up their hands, and the response was a shot, which entered just above the heart. Beard dropped with a groan and three men were observed leaving the alleyway by different exit.

In a moment the firebell rang, summoning the citizens, a several had heard the shot, but when help arrived Beard was dead.

The burglars had evidently intended to enter Smith's jewelry store from the rear, as finger marks were discovered on the window sill, and a couple of haversacks were picked up later in the lane. The haversacks were the same as soldiers used overseas. In a short time the police had men on every street leading from the town, but nothing resulted. In the morning it was discovered that J. W. Robinson's big car had been stolen from his garage, Dundas St. Later in the morning a suspect was arrested on the street and lodged in jail. It was found that Beard was shot by a bullet from a .38-calibre gun. The bullet passed through the body and broke a pane of glass in a rear window of Bovas shop and lodged in the window casing within. The late R. A. Beard was about 60 years of age and leaves a widow and three son.

GLUTTED WITH GRAIN.

Record Shipments Made From the Port of Montreal.

MONTREAL, Aug. 29. — Between 1,800 and 2,000 cars filled with grain are waiting to be unloaded in the terminal yards of Montreal. Sixty-one ships were in port Sunday, the great majority of them either loading or waiting to load grain, and 15 ships were here from the Great Lakes with more grain also waiting their turn to take up unloading berths at the elevators.

The record amount of grain—much of it from the United States—which is being shipped from this port this season is taxing the resources of the harbor to the utmost. Already well over 55,000,000 bushels have the port of Montreal handled than the total for the whole of 1914, the highest previous year, and there are six weeks of the season. The congestion in the port continues to be considerable.

Tramp steamers as well as those belonging to regular lines are coming here for grain, other freights being scarce, and are thus adding to the congestion.

Of other floating elevators owned by the Harbor Commissioners one commenced work last Friday but suspended operations the same day for reasons not stated. The others have been at work night and day since last Monday, but have as yet made little material improvement in the situation.

It is admitted as a possibility that the ports of Quebec, Portland, and possibly St. John, N.B., may be used by the situation here. The proposal has been made to fill the elevator at Quebec which has a capacity of 4,000,000 bushels, and this may be done shortly. The Montreal harbor elevators have a capacity jointly of 7,000,000 to 8,000,000 bushels, and the Grand Trunk elevator about 2,000,000 bushels.

One Big Vacation.

BELLEVILLE, Aug. 29. — The Deacon Shirt Co. will try a new holiday plan, closing down all this week to give their employees a vacation. It is thought it will work out more satisfactorily than the system of giving holidays in succession to the staff and employes.

It's Cold Nearer the Sun.

You would have thought that the nearer you get to the sun, the warmer the temperature would become, isn't you? But this is by no means the case, for if it's much colder closer to the sun when the latter is shining at its brightest than it is on the earth.

This is proved by the fact that the highest mountains, even in tropical countries, are perpetually snow capped. Snow and ice would not exist of the same temperature as that of the plains beneath, the snow would soon disappear.

You know, too, that the higher an airman flies the more warmly clad he must be if he is not to suffer from cold.

The reason for this strange phenomenon is that the rays of sunshine pierce through the upper layers of the atmosphere with no effort very little resistance to them. The earth, on the other hand, being more solid, cannot be penetrated so easily, with the result that the earth is the source of the warmth, both as the rays strike the earth and as they rebound from it.

Farthest North.

A new farthest north Royal Canadian Mounted Police post has been established at Pond's Inlet, in the extreme north of Baffin's Land. This is now the most northerly post held by the force of scarlet riders, the nearest to it being those at Craig Harbor Inlet and Cape Burwell, at the entrance of Hudson Straits. A sole staff sergeant will be full police authority at Pond's Inlet and will have full charge of customs and judicial control of Baffin's Land and the territory about it. Only a few Eskimos are to be found there and it is the occasional port of call for traders.

Large Telephone Cable.

The largest cable in the world, carrying 408 pairs of wires, making it possible to conduct 600 conversations simultaneously, has been laid on the bed of the Detroit river, between Detroit and Windsor. The cable weighs 50,870 pounds, is 3,000 feet in length and 10¾ inches thick.

THE MARKETS

TORONTO MARKETS.

Manitoba Wheat (in store Ft. William).
No. 1 northern, $1.69¾.
No. 2 northern, $1.67¾.
No. 3 northern, $1.58¾.
No. 4 wheat, $1.41¾.

Manitoba Oats (in store, Ft. William).
No. 2 C.W., 48¾c.
No. 3 C.W., 47¾c.
Extra No. 1, 47¾c.
No. 1 feed, 48¾c.
No. 2 feed, 45¾c.

Manitoba Barley (in Store Ft. William).
No. 3 C.W., 78¾c.
No. 4 C.W., 74¾c.
Rejected, 69¾c.
Feed, 69¾c.

Ontario Wheat (F.o.b. Shipping Points, According to Freights Outside).
No. 2 winter, $1.15 to $1.20.
No. 3 winter, $1.15 to $1.20.
No. 1 commercial, $1.10 to $1.15.
No. 2 spring, $1.13 to $1.18.
No. 3 spring, $1.10 to $1.15.
No. 2 goose, nominal.

Ontario Oats (According to Freight Outside).
No. 2 yellow, 47c.

Ontario Oats (According to Freight Outside).
No. 2 white, 40c to 42c.

Barley (According to Freights Outside).
Malting, 69c to 73c.

Ontario Flour (Prompt Shipment).
In bags, Montreal and Toronto, $6.35.

Peas (According to Freights Outside).
No. 2, nominal.

Manitoba Flour.
First patents, $10.50.
Second patents, $9.50.

Buckwheat (According to Freights Outside.)
No. 2, nominal.

Rye.
No. 2, $1.
Milled (Car Lots delivered, Toronto).
Bran, per ton, $28.

CATTLE MARKETS

TORONTO LIVE STOCK.

TORONTO, Aug. 29.—Live stock receipts at the Union Stock Yards last week were: Cattle, 7,845; calves, 1,127; hogs, 7,786; sheep, 3,738.

BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.

BUFFALO, Aug. 29.—Cattle receipts, 575; slow.

Calves, 150; $1 lower, $5 to $12.

Hogs, 1,900; 25c to 50c higher; heavy, $10 to $10.50; mixed and yorkers, $10.75 to $11; light yorkers, $10 to $10.50; pigs, $10; roughs, $6.75 to $7; stags, $4 to $5.

Sheep and lambs, 2,200; 25c higher; lambs, $5 to $10; others unchanged.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—Cattle receipts, 500; compared with a week ago, good and choice steers, 35c to 50c lower; fat she-stock generally steady; canners and cutters, 25c higher; bulls, 15c to 50c lower; veal calves mostly $3 higher; stockers steady, feeders 25c off.

Hogs, 4,000; fairly active, mostly steady to strong, with Friday's average; good clearance; top, $9.90; bulk, light and lightweights, $9.50 to $9.85; bulk packing sows, $7.25 to $7.75; pigs fully 25c higher; bulk desirables, $8.50 to $9.

Sheep, 2,000; compared with a week ago, lambs, big, 25c lower; fat westerns and yearlings, 25c to 50c lower; sheep steady to $1 lower; other feeders about steady.

WINNIPEG LIVE STOCK.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 29.—Cattle and veals exceptionally light, consisting of only 50 cattle, 120 hogs and 25 sheep and lambs, the latter of a large variety. The market was quiet, and hardly sufficient sales were available to make quotations to range. Killing cattle looked about steady. Stockers and feeders sold at unchanged prices.

Hogs unchanged; selects, $12.

The demand for sheep and lambs was dull, with prices remaining steady. Fair to good lambs, $8 to $10. Mutton sheep, $5 to $6.50.

Explosion In Chicago Theatre.

CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—A bomb explosion in the Columbia Theatre shortly after midnight Saturday, shook the entire business district. The theatre was empty at the time, but not having been reopened for the season. Several persons were reported to have been slightly injured by flying glass. According to the police, the explosion was due to labor trouble.

The Columbia Theatre is a burlesque house, on what is known as the Columbia "wheel." Recently it had been covered with "unfair" notices as a result of a trouble with the Musicians' Union.

New Form of Banditry.

LONDON, Ont., Aug. 29.—Secretary C. H. Ivey of the Provincial Motor Club was notified by A. Feldman of New York City that while he was motoring on the Sarnia road, near that place, he was stopped by two men, who produced what Mr. Feldman thought to be constables' badges, and told that he had broken the speed laws.

The men fined him $15, and Mr. Feldman, who is not versed in the ways of the wild side of the line, paid over the money.

The police have been notified of this new species of banditry, and every attempt is to be made to run down the guilty parties.

Serbian King Better.

PARIS, Aug. 29.—The official bulletin on the condition of King Alexander of Jugo-Slavia says that the abscess which had formed has been lanced and that his temperature fell considerably during the night. The bulletin adds that the king passed a good night and that there is no longer any anxiety regarding his condition.

Famous Hungarian Dead.

BUDAPEST, Aug. 29.—Dr. Alexander Wekerle, five times Premier of Hungary, died here Saturday. He was born in 1848. Early in 1919 he was arrested on the charge of being implicated in the counter-revolution, but was set free because of his advanced age. Since that time little had been heard of him.

Canadian Boat Lost.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 29.—The doom of the Canadian Government fisheries patrol boat Chanticleer, disabled for more than a week, apparently was spelled by lumber floating about the surface at her reported position, according to a radiogram from the Canadian Winner, which had gone to the aid of the wrecked vessel.

The message said that the Canadian Winner had been searching all day and was continuing the search. The coastwise cutter Schomish wirelessed that she was speeding to the scene of the wreck in the hope of picking up survivors.

The lifeboat containing two mates and nine of the crew, which left the Importer more than a week ago to summon help, has not yet been located in spite of anxious search, and is believed to be lost.

The VOICE OF THE PACK

EDISON MARSHALL

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Dan was upon him before he ever reached it. He sprang as a cougar springs, incredibly fast and with shattering power. Both went down, and for a long time they writhed and struggled in each other's arms. The pine boughs rustled strangely.

The dark, gaunt hand reached in vain for the knife. Some resistless

Some Resistless Power Seemed to Be Holding His Wrist

power seemed to be holding his wrist and was bending its bone as an Indian bends a bow. Pain lashed through him. And then this dark-hearted man, who had never known the meaning of mercy, opened his lips to scream that this terrible enemy be merciful to him.

But the words wouldn't come. Slowly weight had come at his throat, and his tortured lungs sobbed for breath. Then, for a long time, there was a curious pounding, lashing sound in the evergreen boughs. It seemed merciless and endless.

But Dan got up at last, in a strange, heavy silence, and swiftly went to work. He took the rifle and filled it with cartridges from Cranston's belt. Then he put the remaining two boxes of shells into his shirt pocket. The supplies of food—the sack of nutritious jerked venison like dried bark, the little package of cheese, the boxes of hard tack and one of the small sacks of prepared flour—he tied, with a single kettle, into his heavy blankets and flung them with the rifle upon his back. Finally he took the pair of snow shoes from the floor. He worked coldly, swiftly, all the time munching at a piece of jerked venison. When he had finished he walked to the door of the lean-to.

It seemed to Dan that Cranston whispered faintly, from his unconsciousness, as he passed; but the victor did not turn to look. The snow shoes crunched away into the darkness. On the hill behind a half dozen wolves—strugglers from the pack—frisked and leaped about in a curious way. A strange smell had reached them on the wind, and when the loud, fearful steps were out of hearing, it might pay them to creep down, one by one, and investigate its cause.

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The gray circle about the fire was growing impatient. Snowbird waited to the last instant before she admitted this fact. But it is possible only so long to deny the truth of a thing that all the senses verify, and that moment for her was past.

She noticed that when she went to her hands and knees, laboriously to cut a piece of the drier wood from the rain-soaked, rotted snag that was her principal supply of fuel, every wolf would leap forward, only to draw back when she stood straight again. She worked desperately to keep the fire burning bright. She dared not neglect it for a moment. Except for the single pistol ball that she could afford to expend on the wolves—of the three she had—the fire was her last defense.

But it was a losing fight. The rain-soaked wood smoked without flame, the comparatively dry core with which Dan had started the fire had burned down, and the green wood, hacked with such heart-breaking difficulty from the saplings that Dan had cut, needed the most tireless attention to burn at all.

Her nervous vitality was flowing from her in a fruitful stream. Too long she had toiled without food in the constant presence of danger, and she was near indeed to utter exhaustion. But at the same time she knew she must not faint. That was one thing she could not do—to fall unconscious before the last of her three cartridges was expended in the right way.

Again she went forth to the sapling, and this time it seemed to her that if she simply tossed the ax through the air, she could fell one of the gray crowd. But when she stooped to pick it up—she didn't finish the thought. She turned to coax the fire. And then she leaned sobbing over the sled.

"What's the use?" she cried. "He won't come back. What's the use of fighting any more?"

"There's always use of fighting," her father told her. He seemed to speak with difficulty, and his face looked strange and white. The cold and the pressure were having their effect on his weakened system, and unconsciousness was a near shadow indeed. "But, dearest—if I could only make you do what I want you to—"

"What?"

"You're able to climb a tree, and if you'd take these coats, you wouldn't freeze by morning. If you'd only have the strength—"

"And see you torn to pieces!"

"I'm old, dear—and very tired—and I'd crawl away into the shadows, where you couldn't see. There's no use mincing words, Snowbird. You're a brave girl—always have been since a little thing, as God is the Judge—and you know we must face the truth. Better one of us die than both. And I promise—I'll never feel their fangs. And I won't take your pistol with me either."

Her thought flashed to the clasp hunting knife that he carried in his pocket. But her eyes lighted, and she bent and kissed him. And the wolves leaped forward even at this.

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The after-midnight hours drew one by one across the face of the wilderness, and she thought that the deepening cold presaged dawn. Her fingers were numb.

Once more she went to one of the saplings, but she stumbled and almost went to her face at the first blow. It was the instant that her gray watchers had been waiting for. The wolf that stood nearest leaped—a gray streak out of the shadow—and every wolf in the pack shot forward with a yell. It was a short, expectant cry; but it chopped off short. For with a half-sob, and seemingly without mental process, she aimed her pistol and fired.

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The wolf had leaped for her throat; but he fell short. She staggered from a blow, and she heard a curious sound in the region of her hip. But she didn't know that the fangs had gone home in her soft flesh. The wolf rolled on the ground; and if her pistol had possessed the accuracy of that of a rifle, he would have never got up again. As it was, he shrieked once, then sped off in the darkness to die. Five or six of the nearest wolves, exciting the smell of his blood, bayed and sped after him.

But the remainder of the great pack—fully 15 of the gray, gaunt creatures—came stealing across the snow toward her. White fangs had gone home; and a new madness was in the air.

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Straining into the silence, a perfectly straight line between Cranston's camp and Snowbird's, Dan Failing came mushing across the snow. His sense of direction had never been obliged to stand such a test as this before. Snowbird's fire was a single dot on a vast plain; yet he had gone straight toward it.

He was risking everything for the sake of speed. He gave no heed to the fallen timber that might have torn the web of his snow shoes to shreds. Because he shut out all thought of it, he had no feeling of fatigue. The fight with Cranston had been a frightful strain on muscle and nerve; but he scarcely remembered it now. His whole purpose was to return to Snowbird before the wolves lost the last of their cowardice.

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The jerked venison that he had munched had brought him back much of his strength, he was wholly unconscious of his heavy pack. Never did he glide so swiftly, so softly, with such unerring step; and it was nothing more or less than a perfect expression of the iron-clad control that his steel nerves had over his muscles.

Then, through the silence, he heard the shout of the pack as the wolf had leaped at Snowbird. He knew what it meant. The wolves were attacking them, and a great flood of black, lasting bitterness poured over him at the thought he had been too late. It had all been in vain, and before the thought could fully go home, he heard the dim, far-off crack of a pistol.

Was that the first of the three shots, the one she might expend on the wolves, or had the first two already been spent and was she taking the last gateway of escape? Perhaps even now Lennox was lying still on the sled, and she was standing before the ruin of her fire, praying that her soul might have wings. He shouted with all the power of his lungs across the snow.

But Snowbird only heard the soft glide of the wolves in the snow. The wind was blowing toward Dan; and while he had heard the loud report of the pack, one of the most far-carrying cries, and the penetrating crack of a pistol, she couldn't hear his answering shout. In fact the wilderness seemed preternaturally still. All was breathless, heavy with suspense, and she stood, just as Dan had thought, between the ruin of her fire and the sled, and she looked with straight eyes to the oncoming wolves.

"Hurry, Snowbird," Lennox was whispering. "Give me the pistol—for that last work. We have only a moment more."

He looked very calm and brave, half-raised as he was on the sled, and perhaps a half-smile lingered at his bearded lips. And the bravest thing of all was that to spare her, he was willing to take the little weapon from her hand to use it in its last service. She tried to smile at him, then crept over to his side.

The strain was over. They knew what they had to face. She put the pistol in his outstretched hand.

His hand lowered to his side and he sat waiting. The moments passed. The wolves seemed to be waiting, too, for the last flickering tongue of the little fire to die away. The last of her fuel was ignited and burning out; they were crouched and ready to spring if she should venture forth after more. The darkness closed down deeper, and at last only a column of smoke remained.

It was nothing to be afraid of. The great, gray leader of the pack, a wolf that weighed nearly 100 pounds, began slowly and deliberately to set his muscles for the spring. It was the same as when the great bull elk comes to bay at the base of the cliffs; usually some one wolf, often the great pack leader, wishing to remind his followers of his might, or else some full-grown male pound in his strength, will attack alone. Because this was the noblest game that the pack had ever faced, the leader chose to make the first leap himself. It was true that these had neither such horns nor razor-edged hoofs as the elk, yet they had eyes that chilled his heart when he tried to look at them. But one was lying asleep, and the fire was low. Besides, the madness of starvation, intensified ten times by their terrible realization of the wound at her hip, was upon the pack as never before. The muscles bunched at his lean flanks.

But as Snowbird and her father gazed at him in fascinated horror, the great wolf suddenly smashed down in the snow. She was aware of its curious, utter collapse actually before the sound of the rifle shot that occasioned it had penetrated her consciousness. It was a perfect shot at long range; and for a long instant her tortured faculties refused to accept the truth.

Then the rifle spoke again, and a second wolf—a large male that crouched on the other side of the sled—fell kicking in the snow. The pack had leaped forward at the first death; but they halted at the second. And then terror came upon them when the third wolf suddenly opened its savage lips and screamed in the death agony.

Up to this time, except for the report of the rifle, the attack had been made in utter silence. The reason was that their bolt-like breath nervous force are needed to shout; and Dan Failing could afford to waste neither of these vital forces. He had dropped to his knee, and was firing again and again, his gray eyes looking clear and straight along the barrel, the fingers without jerk or tremor pressing again and again at the trigger, his hands holding the rifle as in a vise. Every nerve and muscle were completely in his command. The distance was but yet he shot with deadly, amazing accuracy. The wolves were within a few feet of the girl, and a fraction's waver in the gun barrel might have sped his bullet toward her.

"It's Dan Failing," Lennox shouted as the fourth wolf died.

Then Snowbird snatched her pistol from her father's hand and opened fire. The two shells were no longer needed to free herself and her father from the agony of fangs. She took careful aim, and although a pistol is never as accurate or as powerful as a rifle, she killed one wolf and wounded another.

Frenzied in their savagery, three or four of the remaining wolves leaped at the body of one of the wounded; but the others scattered in all directions. Still Dan fired with the same unbelievable accuracy, and still the wolves died in the snow. The girl and the man were screaming now in the frenzied joy of deliverance. The wolves scurried frantically among the trees; and some of them unknowingly ran full in the face of their enemy, to be shot down without mercy. A few indeed were those that escaped—to collect on a distant ridge, and, perhaps, to be haunted in dream by a death that came out of the shadows to blast the pack.

Again the pack song would be despairing and strange in the winter nights—that age old chant of Famine and Fear and the long war of existence with only Death and Darkness in the end. And because it is the song of the wilderness itself, the tenderfoot that camps in the evergreen forest will listen, and his talk will die at his lips, and he will have the beginnings of knowledge. And perhaps he will wonder if God has given him the thews and fiber to meet the wilderness breast to breast as Dan had met it; to remain and to fight and to conquer. And thereby his metal will be tested in the eyes of the Red Gods.

Snowbird stood waiting in the snow, arms stretched to her forester as Dan came running through the wood. But his arms were wider yet, and she went softly into them.

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"We will take it easy from now on," Dan Failing told them, after the camp was cleared of its dead and the fire was built high. "We have plenty of food; and we will travel a little while each day and make warm camps at night. We'll have friendship fires, just as sometimes we used to build on the

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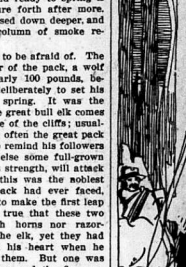

"We Will Take It Easy From Now On."

ridge."

"But after you get down in the valleys?" Lennox asked anxiously. "Are you and Snowbird coming up here to live?"

The silence fell over their camp; and a wounded wolf whined in the darkness. "Do you think I could leave it now?" Dan said. By no gift of words could he have explained why; yet he knew that by token of his conquest, his spirit was wedded to the dark forests forever. "But heaven knows what I'll do for a living."

Snowbird crept near him, and her eyes shone in the bright fire light. "I've solved that," she said. "You know you studied forestry—and I told the supervisor at the station how much you knew about it. I wasn't going to tell you until—until certain things happened—and now they have happened, I can't wait another instant. He said that with a little more study you could get into the forest service—take an examination and become a ranger. You're a natural forester if one ever lived, and you'd love the work."

"Besides," Lennox added, "it would clip my Snowbird's wings to make her live on the plains. My big house will be rebuilt, children. There will be fires in the fire place on the fall nights. There is no use of thinking of the plains."

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"And there's going to be a smaller house—just a cottage at first—right beside it," Dan replied. He could go back to his forests, after all. He wouldn't have to throw away his birthright, fought for so hard; and it seemed to him no other occupation could offer so much as that of the forest rangers—those silent, cool-nerved guardians of the forest and keepers of its keys.

For a long time Snowbird and he stood together at the edge of the fire-light, their bodies warm from the glow, their hearts brimming with words they could not utter. Words always come hard to the mountain people. They are folk of action, and Dan, rather than to words, trusted to the yearning of his arms.

"We're made for each other, Snowbird, darling," he told her breathlessly at last. "And at last I can claim what I've been waiting for all these months."

He claimed it; and in open defiance to all civil law, he collected fully 100 times in the next few minutes. But it didn't particularly matter, and Snowbird didn't even turn her face. "May be you've forgotten you claimed it when you first came back, too," she said.

So he had. It had completely slipped his mind, in the excitement of his fight with the wolf pack. And then while Lennox pretended to be asleep, they sat, breathless with happiness, on the edge of the sled and watched the dawn come out.

They had never seen the snow so lovely in the sunlight.

[THE END.]

Profiteers.

An investigation by a Montreal paper discloses the fact that housewives there are paying 15 to 20 cents a pound more for meat than they should. There has recently, on account of the cattle being dumped on the market through inability of farmers to feed stock during the drought, been a tremendous decline on the live stock market in prices. The butchers have ignored it and the paper is urging housewives to organize and draw their attention to it. The newspaper shows where the butchers are making as much as 200 per cent. gross profit on some lines of meat.

"HOME, SWEET HOME."

Famous Song Was First Heard by English Audience.

No song ever written has achieved the universal popularity of "Home, Sweet Home," and it is safe to say that no song will ever take its place in the hearts of humanity. It possesses the distinctive quality of being applicable to all people, at all times. Savage or civilized, the human heart at once responds to the image it brings before the mind. The author of these immortal words was John Howard Payne, who was born in New York City, on the 9th of June, 1791. Much of his childhood was spent at the family homestead in East Hampton, L.I., which, it is thought, was the place he was thinking of when he wrote his inspired verses of home longing.

John Howard Payne was a precocious lad, and in his thirteenth year was editing a magazine, founded by himself. But his feeling for the stage was a dominant passion, and, even in his juvenile writing, we find him dealing with theatrical topics. Indeed, when a youth of sixteen he had distinguished himself for his ability as an actor. His father, a scholar and educator, was strongly opposed to his son's thespian ambitions, and tried in every way to overcome them. All such opposition was idle. Circumstances enabled John, at eighteen, to make his debut in the Old Park Theatre, in New York City. His success was instantaneous. A few years later, he went to London, and, although he stipulated that he should appear anonymously, he was acclaimed by English audiences and became very popular.

Aspiring to be a dramatist, as well as an actor, Payne began writing plays, and his tragedy of "Brutus" took the dramatic world by storm. For fifty years it held the stage, and was a favorite vehicle of the celebrated tragedians of the time. Payne wrote a number of other plays, both serious and gay, but the one which interests us the most here was the one entitled "Clari, the Maid of Milan." It was called an opera, though really what we would term a play with incidental songs and music.

Many fantastic tales have been told about the circumstances of the author, when he wrote the poem, of which the following extract is characteristic: "On one stormy night, beneath the dim flickering of a London street lamp, cold and hungry, and without a place to shelter his poor, shivering body, he (Payne) wrote his inspired song upon a piece of ragged paper, picked from the sidewalks." This sounds romantic, but it is altogether untrue. Payne wrote the words of the song for Clari, while living in Paris, and Sir Henry Bishop, the distinguished composer, had agreed to furnish music for the play. The actor-poet, however, suggested the melody for "Home, Sweet Home" to the musician. Payne's own account of it was once given to an intimate friend, in which he said: "I first heard the air in Italy. One beautiful morning, as I was strolling alone, amid some delightful scenery, my attention was arrested by the sweet voice of a peasant girl who was carrying a basket laden with flowers and vegetables. Thrilled with delight, I called out with so much sweetness and simplicity, that the melody at once caught my fancy. I accosted her, and, after a few moments' conversation, I asked for the name of the song, which she could not give me, but, having a slight knowledge of Italian myself, I repeated it for the purpose, I requested her to repeat the air, which she did while I jotted down notes as best I could. It was in all its simplicity, and the words of 'Home, Sweet Home,' both of which I sent to Bishop, at the time I was preparing the opera of 'Clari' for Mr. Kemble. Bishop was supposed to know the air perfectly well, and adapted the music to the words."

The publisher of the song gave Payne the sum of £50 for the copyright of it. This was a good bargain for the publisher, but an ill one for Payne, for no less than a year after publication the profit on the song had amounted to over 2,000 guineas.

As is the case with many a literary and poetic genius, Payne was not a money maker. Though he labored prodigiously, turning out dozens of plays, and acting to capacity houses, he never accumulated any worldly wealth. Toward the end of his life, he was appointed consul at Tunis, where he died in comparative obscurity, far from home and friends, April 9, 1852. His effects, many of them, were auctioned off to pay some small debts he had contracted.

The United States Government placed a marble slab over his grave in Tunis, on which appears the following epitaph:

"Sure when by gentle spirit fled
To realms beyond the azure dome,
With arms outstretched, God's angels said,
Welcome to Heaven's 'Home, Sweet Home!'"

"THE LOST CHORD."

British Composer Wrote Music of Famous Song.

Most people identify Sir Arthur Sullivan with the series of comic operas that he wrote in collaboration with Sir W. S. Gilbert. Many are unaware that this British composer wrote a great deal of serious music, such as church anthems, oratorios, and grand operas. He also wrote many hymn tunes, about fifty-six in all, and some of them, such as "Onward, Christian Soldiers," have established themselves as prime favorites for congregational use.

Sir Arthur was born in London, on May 13, 1842, and died there November 22, 1900. His father was a native of County Cork, Ireland, and was the leader of a band; so the son may be said to have inherited his love of music.

The character of Sir Arthur Sullivan was an engaging and lovable one. He was a good fellow and had a great fund of genuine Irish mother-wit. His favorite pastime was lawn tennis. It was seldom that anyone saw him without a cigarette in his mouth. As a worker, he was not fond of constant plugging. Rather, he would wait until the last minute to do a task, and then turn out an almost incredible amount of work. Much of his composing was done between the hour of midnight and four or five o'clock in the morning. He once said to Hermann Klein, the writer of "Thirty Years of Musical Life in London":

"I find it impossible to settle down to a score during the daytime. I wait till everyone is in bed, then I go to my desk, and perhaps finish the instrumentation of a whole number before I finally lay down my pen. The streets are so quiet, the atmosphere is so peaceful, and I have no fear that I am going to be disturbed every few minutes."

Composers and poets rarely know when an inspiration is going to hit them, and this is remarkably true of the melody of "The Lost Chord," which came to Sir Arthur Sullivan at a most unexpected moment. The story is a familiar one, but we want to repeat it here.

In 1876, Sir Arthur Sullivan accepted the position of principal of the National Training School for Music," at South Kensington, and a few months after that appointment he received a severe shock in the death of his brother Frederick, who was an actor of great promise. While Frederick was ill, Sir Arthur was devoted in his attention to the sick man, and for nearly three weeks before his death he watched at the sick bed night and day. One evening, during this protracted vigil, when death was drawing very near, the sufferer was asleep. Sir Arthur, the faithful attendant, to pass away the weary hours, took up to take up a copy of some verses by the poetess, Adelaide Anne Proctor, which had made an impression on his mind. In the solemn stillness of the night, listening to the labored breathing of his brother, and wondering when breath would be the last, he read these touching verses of once more. Suddenly, music came for them independently of his mental processes. At least, it seemed so to the composer. Paper was at hand, and he began to write down the melody as it came to him. He became absorbed in the task and soon finished the manuscript. The thought occurred to him that perhaps with the light of the morning the song would prove worthless.

But "The Lost Chord" leaped into instant popularity, and has maintained its hold on the affections of people for nearly fifty years.

ALL WERE STARVING.

But the Hungry Rabbit Had to Be Eaten.

The dying survey that the engineers of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway made through the unexplored forests and mountains of Canada was attended by all manner of hardships and adventures. It is remarkable that so few men lost their lives, for the work, which was pushed forward winter and summer, was always filled with dangers. An experience related in Mr. F. A. Talbot's book, "The Making of a Great Canadian Railway," affords a graphic idea of the pains and penalties that many surveyors endured in that silent, unpopulated country—

"In the depths of winter I was out with one of the surveyors on an exploration trip. We had four dogs and a couple of sleighs not heavily laden. Somehow or other, owing to the blinding snow, we were delayed and lost our way. The dogs had to go without food and we ourselves did not taste a bite for three days; nor did we catch sight of the smallest specimen of game. One thing after another was thrown off the sleighs to ease the plight of the dogs, grown so thin from want of food that their ribs showed through their skins. Only our sleeping bags were retained. Through the day we stumbled along on our snowshoes, constantly falling over obstacles and bruising ourselves against the trees. At night we lay down by our camp fire, utterly exhausted and faint from hunger and cold.

"It was on the third morning that I descried the faint footprints of a jack rabbit. It was the first sign of game that we had seen for three days. I drew my companion's attention to the track. 'Stop right here and light a fire. We'll have something to eat this morning or else I won't come back again!' I cried excitedly as I grabbed my gun. I sped off with my eyes glued to those discernible footprints. But it was weary tracking; the trail was as elusive a will-o'-the-wisp as any one could find in the forest. For three solid hours I followed it relentlessly, stumbling and falling wildly, bruising my shins and tearing my hands as I plunged through the bush.

"At last it disappeared into a willow shrub. Crawling up warily, I searched the thicket, and there spied the quarry. Fearful that in my excitement I might take too hurried an aim with my rifle, miss, frighten, and wing the animal, I crawled stealthily forward on my hands and knees. When within an arm's reach I made a sudden spring and caught it by the hind legs, and then in the same breath I had it captured a sorry prize. Like ourselves, it was in sore need of food, for it could obtain but slender sustenance from the snow-covered ground. I retraced my footsteps as hurriedly as I could. I found my comrade sitting before the fire nodding his head in terrible weakness between his knees—an object picture of misery and despair.

"In a few minutes the rabbit was skinned and spitting merrily on an improvised roasting jack. The skin was cut into four equal parts and given to the dogs. They devoured it ravenously. Not an atom of that rabbit was wasted. The little bit of food put new life into us and we pressed on through the forest until finally we reached our camp."

To Curb Careless Campers.

Serious consideration is being given by the administrators of the forest resources in the various provinces to a scheme for curbing the gross carelessness of camping parties in needlessly starting forest fires. The job of extinguishing timber conflagrations resulting from the fires of forests and mountains of Canada has caused the public treasuries such a sum of money that some method of curbing the evil will have to be devised. Already the province of New Brunswick is considering the classification of its woodland area with a view to prohibiting the entry of fishermen and others who may employ camp fires or drop lighted tobacco and matches. Such a regulation might work a hardship on many sportsmen, but as a class fishermen, hunters and campers generally would have only themselves to thank for whatever penalties might be imposed upon them in the interest of forest protection. To leave the camp fire burning has been shown over and over again to have serious possibilities. The value of the forest resources is such that not an acre of timber can be burned without the people as a whole paying a serious penalty.

Wounded During the War.

The number of men who lost one or more limbs in the war is stated to be 38,000; 26,000 lost one leg, 11,000 an arm, 950 two legs, and 50 both arms.

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Fletcher's Castoria is strictly a remedy for Infants and Children. Foods are specially prepared for babies. A baby's medicine is even more essential for Baby. Remedies primarily prepared for grown-ups are not interchangeable. It was the need of a remedy for the common ailments of Infants and Children that brought Castoria before the public after years of research, and no claim has been made for it that its use for over 30 years has not proven.

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September 13, 14, 15.

SCHOOL CHILDREN'S SECTION

1—Jas. A. Wilson Shoe Store—$10.00

Best collection of ten heads each of Barley, Wheat and Oats, tied in small sheaves and fastened to cardboard. Open to any Public School Pupil in the County of Lennox and Addington. 1st, $5.00 ; 2nd, $300 ; 3rd, $2.00.

2—The Standard Bank of Canada—$30.00

Thirteen prizes in penmanship for school children. Contest open to pupils of entrance class or lower grades of schools in Lennox and Addington. Thirteen cash prizes ranging from $5.00 to $1.00, ages of children to be considered in judging. Contest to be judged by outside party and to consist of letter domiciled and dated, enclosed in open addressed envelope.

Write as below and sign your name and school and enclose in an envelope addressed to the Standard Bank of Canada, Napanee, Ont., hand letter to teacher, who will forward to J. W. Robinson, Esq., Treasurer Lennox Fair, Napanee.

Write as follows :—

"The Standard Bank of Canada invites the children of Lennox and Addington to start a Savings Bank account in its Savings Bank Department. $1.00 will open an account bearing interest at the rate of 3 per cent per annum. Money saved now will be very useful when you grow up."

The letter must be signed by pupil with name of school below signature, same to be certified by teacher.

3—Public School Drawing and Penmanship Competition. Total Prize List, $21.00, donated by J. L. Boyes & Son.

Open to Public School Children in the County of Lennox and Addington. Teacher to certify the drawing was done by the scholar whose name is written on the drawing, and also the class they are in this term (fall 1921).

Specimens must be handed in on the first day of the Fair, or mailed to reach the Secretary on or before the first day of the Fair.

Map of Canada, on paper 11 inches wide, by 8 inches deep, Provinces to be shown in three or more colors. Open to any Public School Scholar. 1st, $1.25 ; 2nd, $1.00 ; 3rd, 75c. ; 4th, 50c.

Map of North America, on paper 8 inches wide by 11 inches deep, countries to be shown in colors. Open to scholars up to and including the 3rd Book. 1st, $1.25 ; 2nd, $1.00 ; 3rd, 75c. ; 4th, 50c.

Map of Lennox and Addington on paper 8 inches wide by 11 inches deep, railroads and larger villages to be shown, also Napanee, the County Town. Open to scholars up to and including the 2nd book. 1st, $1.25 ; 2nd, $1.00 ; 3rd, 75c. ; 4th, 50c.

Water Scenes in colors, brush or crayon work, on paper 11 inches wide by 8 inches deep, open to all Public School Scholars. 1st, $1.25 ; 2nd, $1.00 ; 3rd, 75c. ; 4th, 50c.

Fruits in color, brush or crayon work, a group on paper 11 inches wide by 8 inches deep, consisting of 1 apple, pear, banana, and orange. Open to scholars up to and including the 3rd Book. 1st, $1.25 ; 2nd, $1.00 ; 3rd, 75c. ; 4th, 50c.

Flowers in colors, brush or crayon work, on paper 11 inches wide by 8 inches deep, single flower or group of flowers in blossom, any variety, open to scholars up to and including the 2nd book. 1st, $1.25 ; 2nd, $1.00 ; 3rd, 75c. ; 4th, 50c.

4—An Essay by Public School Scholars.

10 lbs. of chocolates donated by the Neilson Co. of Toronto, through the Wallace Drug Co., for a composition of not over 75 words on "Why Everybody Should Attend and Exhibit at the Lennox County Fair." Public School Children only can enter, and must write with pen and ink on ruled foolscap paper, if possible. Work and grade of scholar to be certified to by teacher. Originality, grammatical construction, penmanship, and age of scholar to be considered in judging. 1st prize, 3 lbs. Neilson's Chocolates ; 2nd, 2lbs. ; 3rd, 2 lbs. ; 4th, 5th, and 6th, 1 lb. each. Essay to be addressed to the Secretary and to be mailed in time to reach the Secretary, or to be handed to Secretary's Office on the first day of the Fair.

HORSE SPECIALS

Horses to be judged Second Day

5—F. W. Smith & Bro.—$10.00.

Boys' Driving Competition.

Open to boys under sixteen years of age. Competitors to be boys engaged in farming, and to drive their own team of agricultural or general purpose horses.

1st, $5.00 ; 2nd, $3.00 ; 3rd, $2.00.

To be judged 4 p.m., September 14th.

6—Farmers' Trotting and Pacing Race—$30.00.

Half mile heats, best 2 in 3.

For horses owned by farmers in the County of Lennox and Addington, on or before Auggust 1st, 1921.

This race on the first day of the Fair.

$15.00 donated by Napanee Iron Works, $10.00 by The Napanee Express Printing House, $5.00 by Geo. Tustin, Wonderland.

1st prize, $15.00 ; 2nd, $10.00 ; 3rd, $5.00.

7—F. H. Henderson—$5.00.

For best colt, under six months, broken to halter, exhibited by boy under 12 years of age, exhibitor to have full charge of colt.

1st, $3.00 ; 2nd, $2.00.

8—Hiram Shannon—$10.00.

For best foal of 1921, sired by "Rouget" Second.

1st, $5.00 ; 2nd, $3.00 ; 3rd, $2.00.

9—H. N. Chase—$5.00.

Best General Purpose Team shown in harness.

10—J. S. Johnston, Dorland, $10.00.

Best Single Driving Horse driven by a lady, equipment considered.

11—E. H. Cochrane, Paisley House—$5.00.

$5.00 for Second Best Single Driving Horse, driven by a lady.

12—Welbanks & Wright—$5.00.

For the best Single Turnout, the horse to be under 15½ hands.

13—Haines' Shoe Store—$10.00.

Best General Purpose Farm Team to be shown in harness.

1st, $6.00 ; 2nd, $4.00.

14—Douglas & Co.—$5.00.

Best pair of Driving Horses to be shown in harness.

15—F. W. VanDusen—$3.00 Whip.

Best Single Turnout driven by a lady, general equipment and driving to be considered.

16—Running Race—$30.00.

½ mile heats, 2 in 3.

To be run on the Second Day.

$10.00 donated by The Lennox Garage.

$10.00 donated by The Graham Co.

$10.00 donated by A. MacGregor.

1st $15.00 ; 2nd, $10.00 ; 3rd, $5.00.

CATTLE SPECIALS

17—D. B. Wilson—Aluminium Teapot, value $5.50.

For best three Durham Cattle, owned and exhibited by one man.

18—Royal Bank—$35.00.

Best two-year-old Heifer, thoroughbred, $20.00.

Best two-year-old Heifer, grade, $15.00.

Must be at least five entries in each class and each entry must be made by different individuals, or prize will be withdrawn.

19—Royal Bank Cup—Value $35.00.

For best Dairy Cow, any age or any breed. Must be won twice to become property of exhibitor.

In 1920 this Cup was won by J. C. Creighton.

20—Daly Tea Co. Limited—Value $37.50.

50 lbs. of Tea for the best pure bred Dairy Cow, any breed.

1st, 25 lbs. ; 2nd, 15 lbs. ; 3rd, 10 lbs.

Must be at least five entries, or prize will be withdrawn. Only one prize awarded same party in the class.

21—The Robinson Company Limited—$25.00.

Stock Judging Contest, open to young men under 30 years of age, residing in the County of Lennox and Addington, who have not taken a regular course at an Agricultural College. The competition will be judged on the following basis : 50 points for reasons ; 50 points for placing. Both oral and written reasons may be asked for.

Entries close Tuesday, September 13th.

1st, $10.00 ; 2nd, $7.00 ; 3rd, $5.00 ; 4th, $3.00.

To be judged 4 p.m., September 14th.

22—Fred A. Perry—$3.00.

For best Registered Holstein Heifer Calf under 7 months.

23—Dominion Bank—$35.00.

Best Pure Bred Holstein Bull (any age).

1st prize, $12.50 ; 2nd prize, $5.00.

Entries must be received from at least 3 individuals otherwise prize money will be withdrawn.

Best Pure Bred Durham or Shorthorn Bull (any age).

1st prize, $12.50 ; 2nd prize, $5.00.

Entries must be received from at least 3 individuals otherwise prize money will be withdrawn.

N.B.—Competition in the above classes is confined to bona fide owners, resident in the County of Lennox and Addington.

24—The Merchants Bank of Canada—$35.00.

Best three-year-old Roadster on halter

1st, $10.00 ; 2nd, $5.00.

Best two-year-old Roadster on halter, $5.00.

Best Roadster Mare on halter, with foal by her side.

1st, $8.00 ; 2nd, $4.00 ; 3rd, $3.00.

SWINE SPECIALS

25—Peter Pappas—$10.00.

Best pair of Bacon Hogs, not less than 180 pounds and not over 225 pounds.

1st, $6.00 ; 2nd, $4.00.

26—Canadian Packing Co.—$10.00.

For the 3 best Bacon Hogs weighing between 160 and 220 pounds.

1st, $6.00 ; 2nd, $4.00.

This special to be judged by a representative of Canadian Packing Co.

Any exhibitor winning first prize in one of these specials is not eligible to show for the other special.

SHEEP SPECIALS

27—F. L. Hooper—$10.00.

$5.00 for best pen of Oxford Down Sheep consisting of one ram, one year or over ; one ewe, two shears ; one shearling ewe ; one ewe lamb.

$5.00 for best pen Shropshire.

The above prizes open to Lennox and Addington only.

28—Jas. Poulos—$5.00.

$5.00 for best pen any other breed, open to any county.

GRAIN AND VEGETABLE SPECIALS

29—Trumpour & Switzer—Lap Rug, Value $6.00.

For best bushel of Oats, any variety.

30—Trumpour & Switzer—Whip, Value $1.50.

For best half bushel of Apples, any variety.

31—Dr. J. P. Vrooman—$10.00.

For best ½ bushel Tomatoes.

1st, $5.00 ; 2nd, $3.00 ; 3rd, $2.00.

32—Wallace's Drug Store—$10.00.

For best bushel of Potatoes.

See Standing Field Crop Competition, Prizes $9.00

DAIRY PRODUCTS AND DOMESTIC SCIENCE SPECIALS

33—The Thermos Co., value $6.50 ; The Merritt Co., value $5.00.

Contributed through The Wallace Drug Co.

Three prints of Dairy Butter.

1st prize, quart size nickle plated Thermos Bottle, value $6.50 ; 2nd prize, $5.00 box of Chocolates.

34—Frank Marsh, 50 lbs. "Mother Brand" Quaker Flour.

For best loaf of Home-made Bread made from this flour.

35—Frank Marsh, 50 lbs. Cream of West Flour.

For best loaf of Home-made Bread made from this flour

36—The Fair, 50 lbs. Flour.

For best loaf Home-made Bread from flour bought at The Fair. Exhibitor must produce invoice showing flour was bought from The Fair.

37—T. D. Scrimshaw—$2.00.

For best loaf of Bread made from Ogilvy's Flour.

38—A. S. Kimmerly, 25 lbs. of Five Roses Flour

For best loaf of Home-made Bread made from this flour.

39—Ogilvy Flour Mills.

Best loaf of bread made from Ogilvy Flour.

1st prize, one bag flour ; 2nd one half bag flour ; 3rd, one quarter bag flour.

Exhibitor must furnish invoice showing that Royal Household Flour was purchased and used for the baking.

40—Salada Tea Co., 10 lbs Salada Tea.

For the best collection of three varieties of Bottled Fruits from fruit grown in the County of Lennox and Addington.

1st, 6 lbs. Salada Tea ; 2nd, 4 lbs. Salada Tea.

41—Davy & Allison, $5.50 Aluminium Cooker.

For best half dozen Home-made Buns.

42—A. E. Caton—$5.00.

Apple Pie, home-made.

1st, $3.00 ; 2nd, $2.00.

43—Fenwick Hendry & Co., Kingston, 1 dozen jars of Jam.

8 jars for best Iced Layer Cake, light ; 4 jars for 2nd.

44—Benjamin Moore Co.—Vaue $3.75.

Donated through the Wallace Drug Co.

Five 5-pound packages of Muresco.

For the best half dozen Doughnuts (fried cake).

45—Campbell Varnish Co.—Value $6.00.

Donated through The Wallace Drug Co., one quart light or dark oak Campbell Varnish Stain, one quart ground color, one quart surface, one graining set.

For the best dozen "old fashioned Mother's Cookies.

APIARIAN PRODUCTS SPECIAL

46—Harry Scott—$5.00.

(a) Best jar of Honey.

1st, $1.50 ; 2nd, $1.00.

(b) Best section of Honey in comb.

1st, $1.50 ; 2nd, $1.00.

FLORICULTURAL DEPARTMENT

47—The Merritt Co—Value $5.00.

For best arranged Table Bouquet of natural flowers.

$5.00 box of Chocolates.

This prize contributed through Wallace's Drug Store.

48—Mrs. Doxsee—$5.00.

Best collection of Flowers exhibited by farmer's wife.

48—J. S. Ham—$2.00.

Best collection of Asters.

50—W. S. Herrington—$10.00.

Best drawing room Bouquet, $2.50.

Best Sword Fern, $2.50.

Best Fern, any other variety, $2.50.

Best Hand Bouquet, $2.50.

POULTRY SPECIALS

51—H. W. Kelly—$2.00.

For best pair Brown Leghorn Pullets.

52—Jas. Poulos—$5.00.

Largest entry of prize winning poultry owned by one individual or company.

53—Mrs. McMorine—$5.00.

Sweepstakes, open to all poultry breeders, for the best cock, hen, cockerel, and pullet. All classes and breeds are eligible to compete, but preference to be given to Parti-Colored varieties ahead of solid colored birds, the former being so much harder to breed up to standard.

Cock $2.00, hen $1.00, cockerel $1.00, pullet $1.00.

54—W. A. Steacy—$10.00.

1st prize cockerel White Wyandotte, $2.00 ; 2nd prize $1.00

1st prize pullet, White Wyandotte, $2.00 ; 2nd, $1.00.

$2.00 for best bird in show, any variety.

$2.00 for the largest poultry exhibit, any variety.

55—S. K. Burdin, Toronto.

Best pair of Capons.

1st, full set of instruments and instructions ; 2nd, set of plans.

56—Weiss Bros., Suit Case, value $2.00.

Best pair S. C. White Leghorns, cockerel and pullet.

57—G. H. Reynolds of the Canadian Packing Co.—$6.00.

$3.00 for best S. C. White Leghorn cockerel.

$3.00 for best S. C. White Leghorn pullet.

58—C. H. Spencer—$5.00.

1st, $3.00 ; 2nd, $2.00 ; Bronze Cock Turkey.

59—Specials donated by C. A. Anderson & Son, $6.00 ; S. C. Denison, $3.00 ; W. H. Grass, $3.00.

Barred Rocks.

1st prize cockerel, $2.00 ; 2nd prize, $1.00.

1st prize pullet, $2.00 ; 2nd prize, $1.00.

60—

R. C. Rhode Island Reds.

1st prize cockerel, $2.00 ; 2nd prize, $1.00.

1st prize pullet, $2.00 ; 2nd prize, $1.00.

61—Rural School Children's Special.

Best pen of 4 females and 1 male, Barred Rocks—hatched from eggs received from Department of Agriculture.

1st prize, Flashlight No. 2633, value $3.75 ; 2nd prize, Flashlight No. 2619, value $2.75 ; donated by The National Carbon Co.

DECORATED AUTOMOBILES

To be shown the First Day of the Fair at 2 p.m.

62—Boyle & Son—Value $12.00.

One Coleman Quick-lite Lamp, lights with a match, for best decorated automobile of any make. Car must be owned by a farmer.

63—C. A. Wiseman—$30.00.

For best decorated Chevrolet Car.

1st, $15.00 ; 2nd, $10.00 ; 3rd, $5.00.

64—Hartman & Card—Value $20.00.

For best decorated Grey-Dort or Oldsmobile Car, automobile tire, value $20.00.

MISCELLANEOUS SPECIALS

65—G. M. Neely—$15.00.

Diversified Farming Sweepstakes : Horses, 15 per cent. ; cattle, 15 per cent. ; sheep, 15 per cent. ; swine, 14 per cent. ; poultry and pet stock, 10 per cent. ; cereal seeds, 15 per cent. ; roots and vegetables, 10 per cent. ; fruits, fresh and preserved, 6 per cent. All entries must be exhibited in their various classes. All stock must be owned, and all products must be produced by exhibitor. Must obtain 65 per cent. to win first prize.

1st, $7.00 ; 2nd, $5.00 ; 3rd, $3.00.

66—Brandham-Henderson Paint Co.—Value $16.20.

Approaching and putting competition, open to members of the Napanee Golf Club.

Each competitor to play three balls from a point not less than 40 yards distant from the hole—all balls to be sunk—the lowest aggregate to determine the winner.

1st, 2 gallons white paint ; 2nd, one can white paint ; 3rd, one can white paint.

67—Imperial Varnish Co.—Value $24.00.

Driving Competition, open to members of Napanee Golf Club.

(a) Best aggregate distance drive of three balls.

Three gallons paint.

68—The Hydro Electric Commission

Are giving special prizes of one Moffat Hot Plate, value $12.00 ; one Canadian Beauty Iron, value $8.00 ; three Daylo Flash Lights, value $11.00 ; also other special prizes.

The above prizes are for competition at the Hydro Electric booth in the palace. Conditions of contest will be explained at their booth at the Fair.

69—Cadet Drill Competition, silver cup, value $45.00.

Donated by U. M. Wilson.

Must be one twice.

See page 16 for particulars.

70—V. Cowling—$5.00.

Boys' Bicycle Race. ½ mile heats.

Boys 14 years and under.

1st, $3.00 ; 2nd, $1.50 ; 3rd, 50c.

This race is at 3 p.m. the First Day of Fair.

71—Robinson Co.—$2.50.

For best exhibit of Goats.

72—Haines Shoe Store—Value $12.00.

One pair of Empress Shoes for the lady guessing the nearest to the number of beans exhibited in a two quart jar. This jar and ballot box will be in the Fruit Department in the palace, where guessing cards will be supplied. This jar and ballot box will be in the booth occupied by Haines Shoe House in the palace where guessing cards will be supplied.

73—Madole Hardware Co.—Value $17.50

10 gallons Homestead Red Barn Paint for the best ewe, 2 shears ; one shearling ewe, one ewe lamb, exhibited by a farmer living in Lennox & Addington.

74—Smalley, Kivlan & Outhank—$5.00.

For 3 best fruit or vegetables packed in Improved "Queen Jars."

Read the above list of Special Prizes over carefully and see if you cannot win some of these valuable prizes.

The Benson Midway of New York

Have been contracted for

At the Napanee Fair.

This Midway owns their own special train of 10 cars, and have all kinds of Midway Rides and Shows. Besides the Midway they give

A FREE DIVING ACT EVERY NIGHT

where Miss May Collier dives 75 feet into a tank of water.

They also Carry their Own Band.

This is a real Midway, you cannot afford to miss this Midway.

GOOD EYE SIGHT

One of the greatest blessings, but so few possess it.

Thousands are wearing Smith's correctly fitted spectacles and enjoy the greatest comfort—free from headaches and eye strain.

No occasion to go out of town for your eye examinations.

All optical defects fitted at Smith's Optical Department.

Also new lenses made and all repairs on shortest notice.

Have your eyes properly fitted by

F. W. Smith & Bro.

The old reliable Napanee Jewellery Store
Established 50 years.

Plain Talks - No. 5

WHO'S A BUM ?

I make good money fixing shoes,
And making boots to measure ;
And oftimes take a nip of booze,
I find it quite a pleasure.

To make the stuff is quite a task,
In fact we wouldn't try ;
Blond pigeons only wish we would,
But we are far-to sly.

And if we did we know full well
Our changes would be good,
For any man that holds that job
Is nothing but a dud.

So fathers, take a gentle hint,
Don't let your children shirk
And hang around among such (bums,
But get some honest work.

THE STOOL PIGEON

Dear People :—

We often hear the remark "He's Nothing But a Bum," but we do not take the word in any serious way. Perhaps it is too common, but nevertheless it comprises part of our language, and is defined in our dictionary as a loose, disorderly person. And we could improve on this by adding "liable to develop into a stool pigeon," which, in our estimation, is the grand finale in respect to honest citizenship. So, far be it from us to train our sons along such drivelling, underland lines.

So, be like us, and mix not with such folks, only when it is entirely necessary, then fool them—Come again.

For the only practical Shoe Maker, try

Boot & Shoe Hospital

Opposite Royal Hotel

NEW LOCATION

F. S. SCOTT'S BARBER SHOP

Is now located on John Street, and we assure you of courteous attention.

SHOE - SHINE - PARLOR with special accommodation for ladies.

CIGARS, CIGARETTES, PIPES, TOBACCOS.

We do Amateur Photographic Work. Films may be left at shop, or F. S. Scott's residence.

Callouses or Pain There are signs of a weakened transverse arch. One or more of the little bones across the ball of the foot are displaced, causing uneven pressure. The sole of the foot burns, grows tender and little toe joints enlarge and a cramp-like pain known as Morton's Toe develops.

This condition, as well as corns, bunions, broken down arches, weak ankles and all forms of foot trouble is quickly relieved and the cause permanently corrected by the use of

Dr. Scholl's Foot Comfort Appliances

It does not matter what your foot troubles are, how long you have sought relief or how many times you have failed, you will find comfort and correction in the Dr. Scholl Shop of Foot Comfort Appliances and Remedies.

Consult Our Foot Specialist

He is a Graduate Practitioner—a man who knows all about foot troubles and how to make that foot easy and comfortable. Examination and advice free. See us today.

The Haines Shoe Houses

Your Ford magneto can be recharged to its former strength. Winter care of storage batteries. See our ad. Car and carriage painting done by an experienced painter.

GRAHAM GARAGE.

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Coal Oil Stoves ?

A New Perfection, Florence Wickless or Dominion Coal Oil Stove will insure kitchen comfort these warm days. Get one at WILSON'S HARDWARE.

Ice Cream Freezers, hot weather necessities. DAVY & ALLISON'S.

Big shipment of Tanlac just received at Wallace's Drug Store Limited, local agents.

The famous Huntsville Band will appear for the week, August 29th to Sept, 3rd, at the Canadian National Exhibition.

Lord Byng of Vimy, Governor-General of Canada, will visit and open Picton Fair on Wednesday, September 21st.

Mrs. Holmes, of Adolphia street, is prepared to do dressmaking and remodelling of furs at reasonable prices. Please give her a call before going elsewhere. 38-dp

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HALF CENTURY OF WEDDED LIFE

MR. AND MRS. H. H. OTTON CELEBRATED THEIR GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY, ON AUGUST 17th.

The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Otton was celebrated at their home, 75 Owen street, yesterday. The bride and groom of fifty years ago were extremely busy all afternoon and night greeting their relatives who had come home for the event, and receiving their many friends and acquaintances who called to congratulate them and to bring some reminder or gift.

Shortly after the noon hour the guests sat down to a sumptuous dinner, which was interspersed with short speeches and general merry-making. Fred W. Otton was an able toast-master, while Rev. H. E. Wellwood proposed the health of the jubilee bride and groom in a fine manner. During the many complimentary remarks made by the speakers regarding the host and the hostess, they expressed their pleasure in being present for the occasion and also wished that Mr. and Mrs. Otton would be able to enjoy their diamond wedding. The house was prettily decorated with golden streamers and yellow flowers, in the midst of which was a beautiful bouquet of roses.

Those who sat down to the dinner were the immediate relatives of the host and hostess : Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Otton and daughters, Mary and Dorothy, the latter of Toronto ; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stevens, Douglas Stevens, Toronto ; Mrs. J. MacCullough and her two children, Dorothy and Donald, of Detroit ; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Braden, and Rev. H. E. Wellwood. After dinner, a group photograph was taken. The members of the family then presented their father and mother with many expensive and beautiful giffts of gold, and the groom presented the bride with a pearl ring.

In the evening the home was continually filled with the many friends of the couple, who called to congratulate them on their being married for fifty years, and it was well on to midnight before the last of them had departed.

Mr. H. H. Otton was born in Kingston in the year 1849. He moved to Napanee in 1864 to learn the hardware and tinsmith business in the establishment of Mr. Henry Boyle, his wife's father. It was there he met Miss Elizabeth Boyle and on August 17th, 1871, they were married in the old Methodist church by Rev. G. M. Meachem.

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Barnet Refrigerators — the world's best. See them at DAVY & ALLISON'S.

Islanders' Peat Fires.

To the inhabitants of the Outer Hebrides coal is almost unknown. Their fuel is peat, supplemented with drift wood. A peat fire is easy to keep going. Day and night on the open hearth it glows. It is rare indeed that it is allowed to die out, for without heather or wood to kindle it, it is almost impossible to get going again. In these primitive dwellings there is sometimes no chimney, but only minute windows, through which the peat smoke escapes. The room is so filled with pungent smoke that a stranger's eyes will water copiously, and soon he will have to go outside to recuperate. The smell remains in his hair and clothes for weeks; that is why, it is said, Harris tweed retains its scent for years.

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Hay fork rope and chain at DAVY & ALLISON'S.

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DEATHS

Beard—At Napanee, on Sunday, August 28th, 1921, Richard A. Beard, aged 51 years.

Clark—At Napanee, on Tuesday, August 23rd, 1921, Helen M. Clark, aged 57 years.

Light—At Rockwood hospital, Kingston, on Monday, August 29th, 1921, Robert George Light, formerly of Napanee.

Pearson—At Napanee, on Sunday, August 28th, 1921, Thomas P. Pearson, aged 63 years, and 9 months.

Wilson—At Kingston general hospital, on Saturday, August 27th, 1921, Samuel Wilson, of Ernestown, aged 76 years, 7 months, 26 days.

York—At Napanee, on Monday, August 29th, 1921, Amelia York, aged 87 years, 9 months.

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Plymouth Binder Twine, Hay Fork Rope, chains, pulley's, etc., at WILSON'S HARDWARE.

PERSONALS

Mr. Robt. Baker is in Toronto for a few days.

Mr. Geo. A. Blewett is spending a few days in Toronto.

Mrs. J. H. Fitzpatrick, Trenton, spent a few days last week the guest of Mrs. G. A. Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. DeLong spent the week-end with friends in Adolphustown.

Mr. Harry VanLuven left this week for Govan, Sask.

Miss Maria Hough left Saturday to spend a couple of weeks with her sisters in Toronto and St. Catherines.

Rev. S. J. Shorey was in Lindsay on Friday conducting the funeral services of the late Sir Sam Hughes.

Dr. W. Huff, Rome, N.Y., was in Napanee last week renewing acquaintances for a few days.

Mr. I. B. Sills, Richmond, is visiting relatives in Detroit.

Miss Winnie Craig left Monday to resume her duties in Fort William school.

Mrs. Lailey and children, of Toronto, are visiting her mother, Mrs. A. W. Grange.

Miss Marguerite Wartman, of Newburgh, is spending a couple of weeks with friends in Oshawa.

Mrs. A. G. Taylor and son Leslie, left last week to visit relatives in Gaspe.

Miss Minnie Smith returned to St. Thomas on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Baker, and Miss Edythe, returned from a holiday with friends at Wesley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McGarvey, of Watertown, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Salsbury, Richmond.

Miss Pearl Patterson, Newburgh, is visiting Miss Myrtle Spencer, Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell, Toronto, spent last week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Graham.

Mr. Jos. Paul, Newburgh, is spending a few weeks in Western Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Burley, Toronto, are visiting friends in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Shibley, Toronto, are visiting her mother, Mrs. W. Coxall.

Mrs. Fred Bartlett and little son, of Peterboro, spent last week with relatives at Sillsville.

Mr. Watson and family, Pittsburgh, Pa., spent the week-end in Napanee.

Misses Edith Husband and Margaret Mitchell, of Newburgh, spent last week on a trip down the St. Lawrnece.

Miss Gertrude Sproule is holidaying at 1000 Island Park.

Mrs. Crane, Vermont, was visiting friends in Napanee last week.

Mrs. W. O. Stevens and son, Harold, of Princeton, Ill., returned home last week after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo. Scrimshaw, and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Todd are spending a few days in Toronto.

Mrs. Jay Ellison is visiting friends in Watertown, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jackson, Mrs. Irvine Cronk, and Mrs. Pearl McKim, of Enterprise, spent Monday at Kingston.

Miss Delta Ball, of Enterprise, spent a few days the guest of Miss Berniece Young, of Marlbank.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Heard and family, of Trenton, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Covert.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Jackson, and Mr. Wellington Coulter, of Enterprise, were in Napanee on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Smith, South Napanee, have returned from spending the summer in Western Canada.

Miss Halliday and Miss Maud Anderson left on Thursday for Winnipeg, Man., after spending the holidays with Mrs. Robt. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour, Molyneux, and son Herbert, Washington, D.C., motored to Napanee and spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stevens.

Misses Laura Rockwell, Mabel Mills and Vivian McLaughlin, of the staff of the Napanee public schools, enjoyed the school teachers' excursion to New Ontario last week.

Miss Gladys E. Wright and brother Herbert C., Jr., of Cincinnati, Ohio, following a pleasant visit at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Jas. W. Wilson, left for Toronto to enjoy a few days of exhibition before returning to their home.

Mrs. Duncan Cameron Mackenzie, Waldorf Apartments, Toronto, announces the engagement of her sister, Miss Neta H. Dimmet, Napanee, to William J. Joyner, Merchants Bank, Toronto, formerly of Kingston, the marriage to take place quietly on September first, at Napanee.

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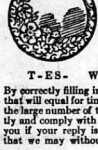
George Light, who has been for some years an inmate of Rockwood hospital, passed away in that institution on Monday morning, death resulting from a stroke he had some days ago. Mr. Light was a former well known and highly respected resident of Napanee. The remains were brought to Napanee on Monday afternoon and taken to the family residence on Dundas street, where the funeral services will be held this afternoon.



F-R-E-E

1000 watches absolutely free. Owing to the enormous success of our previous puzzle advertisement, which gained for us hundreds of new clients, who, being so pleased with their free watch, that they are now our permanent customers, we have decided to further advertise and gain recognition in 1000 new homes, by giving away another 1000 valuable watches, to those who are clever enough to fill in the missing letters in the following phrase.

T-ES- W--CH-S A-E F-L-Y G--R-NT-ED

By correctly filling in the missing letters, you can obtain absolutely free a watch, that will equal for time any solid gold watch made, which is sufficiently proven by the large number of testimonials that we have received. Solve this puzzle correctly and comply with our simple condition of which we will write when we inform you if your reply is correct, write clearly, your name and complete address, so that we may without delay inform you of your success.

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Our Store has Many Noteworthy Surprises in the way of VALUES

On Saturday Sept. 3rd We will place on Sale Twenty-Four SILK DRESSES at the extremely low price of - - - **$14.95 each**

Worth Regularly $20.00 and $22.50.

Any dress at the above mentioned price should arouse on e's imagination, and if purchased will save one's pocket book considerably.

Unbellevable or not, yet here they are all newly fashioned from fine quality Messaline Satin and Taffeta Silk in a splendid range off fall colors and styles. Each garment is lined to the waist with white Cotton and is perfection in workmanship throughout.

The styles in most cases favor the side panels which occasionally are beaded. Colored beads are also seen at the neck of these dresses. Sleeves are three-quarters. Decidedly youthful is a model with the skirt shirred to the waist. Other dresses are equally as attractive and desirable.

Colors are Navy, Brown, Taupe, Black. Sizes are 16, 18, 20 and 38.

Sale starts at 9.30, Saturday morning.

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY. No approvals. No returns.

Quality Hats for Early Fall are Ready

Our First Formal Showing is

Thursday, Sept. 1st

Our Millinery Department is decidedly fall-like in appearance, and for one who is interested it presents a most attractive study in color, harmony, originality and effectiveness.

Each season brings its own quota of novelties and variations, and here you will find cleverly constructed models in materials of Duvetyns, Velvets, Plushes and Silks.

Particularly charming for afternoon dresses are large picture hats made from "Erect" Pile Silk Velvet with metallic cloth crowns. With these "Ostrich" trimmings are employed.

Decidedly new are Satin Soule Hats with embroidered facings. Other trimmings are Chenille Yarn, Silk Floss, and Beads.

Numerous suit hats feature smart wing and feather effects.

Among the leading fall color combinations are models in Nigger and Rust, Jade and Black, and Scarlet with Black Beads.

We invite your immediate inspection of these numbers.

SEPTEMBER DAYS CALL FOR FALL SUITS.

Just because it is a fall suit one expects something of unusual smartness in style and material. Canadian manufacturers have deftly interpreted the spirit of the times and obtainable are numerous garments of most compelling nature. The coats are long and graceful, many coming to the knee. The shoulders and sleeves cling very closely and are the chief means of ornamentation. These are applied in various ways. Narrow string belts are used, but here and there are suits that are beltless. Pockets are inconspicuous. Materials are chiefly Tricotine, Serge, Velour and Duvetyn.

Skirts are plain and follow the modes of spring.

Our Fall Models express all that's new and desirable.

Priced from $40.00 Up.

Quality, Service, Value.

THE ROBINSON CO., LIMITED

We close at 10 p.m. Saturdays. Other days at 5.30 p.m.

COMMENCING THURSDAY MORNING AND CONTINUING FOR ONE WEEK

A special display and sale of Pure Wool Materials, featuring Serge, Corde-de-Sole, Cheviot.

Regular values to $2.50—Sale Price per yard, $1.48.

Mothers of children who are preparing again for the school activities will realize the importance of this special Dress Goods announcement. Nothing but pure wool fabrics are featured in popular colors of Saxe, Marine, Brown.

This is one of the biggest values of the year and comes at the right season.

A SPECIAL VALUE IN CORDED VELVETEEN 36 INCHES WIDE, SPECIAL PER YARD, $1.25

We have just placed in stock this splendid quality and wide width Velveteen at a saving price.

Correct weight for all kinds of needs. Colors, White, Navy, Saxe, Brown.

JUST TO HAND A NEW SHIPMENT IN NATURAL PONGEE

Regular value, $1.75 ; Sale Price, $1.25.

A real Japanese Washable Pongee, 34 inches wide, natural color, very smooth quality and free from dressing.

THIS SPLENDID QUALITY IN TRICOLETTE SPECIALLY PRICED AT $3.75 PER YARD

Tricolette will be a welcome addition to the favorite fabrics for fall wear. The following shades will be in stock : White, Honeydew, Marigold, Bobolink, Grouse, Seal, Henna, Jade, Capri, Navy, Black—36 inches wide.

BOYS' AND GIRLS' SCHOOL HOSE

SPECIAL AT 25 CENTS.

250 pairs of 2-1 Ribbed Black Cotton Hose for Boys' and Girls' wear. Seamless feet, extra spliced heels and toes, elastic knit. Made for a good wearing school hose.

Sizes 6 to 10 at 25c pair.

BOYS' "WEARWELL" HOSE

2-1 Heavy Ribbed Cotton Hose for boys' wear. Plain seamless cotton feet, double heels and toes. Desirable hose for school wear. Sizes 7 to 10. Prices range from 50c. to 75c. a pair.

CHILDREN'S CASHMERE HOSE

Infants and Misses fine ribbed Cashmere Hose. Plain seamless feet, made from selected wool yarns. Colors are Black and Cream. Sizes 4 to 8½.

Prices range 50c. to 85c. pair.

CHILDREN'S FALL WEIGHT UNDERWEAR

Children's medium weight Vests in cream color, high neck, button front, long sleeves, made from a fine quality of cotton yarn. All sizes in stock. Prices range 45c to 85c. pair. Drawers to match in ankle lengths. Prices range 50c. to 85c. each.

LINOLEUM FLOOR COVERING FOR FALL

Linoleum is still the "Monarch" of all floor covering when one is desirous of durability. Composed of East India Burlap Back with Ground Cork and Linseed Oil base, it presents, when pressed by very heavy rollers, a surface like leather. This is then printed with desirable patterns by heavy specially constructed machinery. After a coat of good varnish it is placed in a drying room to season.

We have in stock now a good assortment of up-to-date patterns in two, three and four yard widths which are made by the best Canadian and Scotch manufacturers.

Priced $1.25 and $1.40 per square yard.

A NEW QUALITY IN FLOOR OILCLOTHS

The Dominion Oilcloth Co., the largest manufacturers of floor covering on the continent, are putting on the market a better quality than they heretofore made. During the war they could not get a good quality of burlap for the foundation.

We are agents in Napanee for this product and expect by the first of September to have a very complete stock of Floor Oilcloths, in a great variety of widths, at sixty-five cents per square yard.

This covering will be good for halls, kitchens, dining-rooms and bed-rooms. Its smooth finish makes it easy to clean. From a sanitary point of view it is preferable to cloth rugs or carpets.

Come in and look them over.